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MANILA, PERHAPS.

Its Surrender Not Confirmed, But Thought Possible.

Dewey in a Position to Force It at Any Time.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—The War Department would not be surprised to learn that by this time Manila has surrendered to the combined American military and naval force gathered on the shores of Manila bay and off Cavite. However, there is no official confirmation of the report that was printed this morning to that effect. The United States government is in a position, it is believed, to receive news of so important an event sooner than the Spanish authorities at Madrid. Being hemmed in on all sides, Captain General Augusti would not be able to communicate with Hong Kong, the nearest cable station, without passing his message through the United States lines and securing permission for its transmission by boat to Hong Kong. Even if a boat bearing such a message had arrived at Hong Kong, it is only a fair supposition that the news of the fall of Manila would be communicated at that point to the world at large by means of the cable, instead of being confined to the Madrid government. Consequently it is believed that this announcement of the fall of Manila is an assumption, perhaps on the strongest basis; for it may be that the Spanish government, having sent permission to Augusti to surrender, concludes that he has done so.

It was known to be the disposition of the Spanish authorities at Manila to surrender to the American forces instead of the insurgents when the town must fall. It is tolerably certain that Admiral Dewey might have received the surrender at any time within the past six weeks, had he been disposed to exert the slightest pressure in that direction. Indeed, in one of his despatches he made the blunt statement that he could take Manila in twenty-four hours, if he desired. The reason he did not desire to do so was undoubtedly because of a reluctance of his part to entrust the destinies of the great city to the insurgents under Aguinaldo, who, at first tractable, had began to show signs of impatience under restraint.

Dewey realized that he was being held morally responsible by the civilized world for the protection of the people of Manila against excesses at the hands of the insurgents. There was also the strongest reason why he should not, by failure to care for the interests of foreign residents in the town, open the door to intervention of any of the neutral naval commanders who had been lying in the harbor jealously watching for their opportunity. Therefore, it became necessary for the admiral to maintain the status quo until a sufficient military force arrived to enable him to receive the surrender of the town and to occupy and protect it.

This has been done with some difficulty, as will be revealed in the end when all the correspondence is heard, for it is almost impossible to keep the insurgents out of the town, and their efforts to effect an entrance have redoubled as they learned of the approach of the American forces and saw dawning upon them the possibility of an American occupation of the town that should exclude them from Manila, precisely as Shafter excluded Garcia's Cubans from Santiago.

Now, however, Dewey undoubtedly has with him a sufficient military force to warrant him in accepting the surrender of Manila. It is said at the War Department that at least three of the six military expeditions that have been despatched to the Philippines from San Francisco are now at Manila, affording an army of between ten and fifteen thousand men, backed up by Dewey's ships and sailors.

Suspicious interest attaches to a published statement in one of the Spanish semi-official organs, to the effect that Augusti has been shorn of jurisdiction over the Philippines beyond Manila and its immediate environments, the captaincy-generalcy of the Philippine group being transferred to the command of the Visayan islands. It is just possible that there is an important connection between these two items of news, one the surrender of Manila and the other Augusti's replacement, both coming from Spanish sources. As to the latter, it was frankly stated in the Spanish despatch that the purpose was to prevent Augusti from surrendering the entire Philippine group, so that it is conceivable that, having now arranged the matter so as to protect their interests in the remaining islands so far as possible, having placed themselves in a position to deny that the United States government has made the conquest of the Philippines, the Spanish minister may have directed Augusti to surrender the small jurisdiction remaining to him to the United States to prevent it from falling into the hands of the insurgents. As this matter would have a decided bearing on any program the United States may outline respecting the acquisition of a coaling station in the Philippines, or the acquirement of entire group of islands, official reports as to the exact state of affairs are anxiously awaited.

HAS MANILA SURRENDERED?

Report Confirmed in a Cable Despatch to Madrid.

PARIS, July 29.—A telegram from Madrid to the European edition of the New York Herald says that a cable despatch has been received at the Spanish capital announcing the surrender of Manila to Admiral Dewey.

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TERMS FOR PEACE.

Surrender of Porto Rico and Independence of Cuba.

Coaling Stations in the Ladrones and the Philippines---No Money Indemnity.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—The cabinet discussed the President's answer to Spain's peace proposal and reached the following decision:

The absolute surrender of Porto Rico to the United States.

Recognition of the independence of Cuba.

Cession of one of the Ladrone islands to the United States as a coaling station.

Cession to the United States of at least a coaling station in the Philippines.

The question undecided is what disposition shall be made of the Philippine islands as a whole. It can be stated that there is practically no difference of opinion in the cabinet on the question of retention of the Philippine islands as a whole, all the members being opposed to our acquisition of those islands. There has been no decision, however, as yet on the extent to which the government will go in its decision respecting the future of these islands, but it is probable that the answer of the President will express the willingness of this government to leave the matter of the future government of the islands entirely in the hands of a joint commission to be appointed by this government and the government of Spain. The probability is that the United States will insist upon a guarantee of certain reforms in government in the Philippine islands.

Our answer will make no mention of money indemnity. Neither will there be any armistice at all. The answer will be in the nature of an ultimatum, and if Spain does not accept it she will fare worse in the future.

The note from Spain was a very adroit and equivocal document, from reading which one would think the only question involved was Cuba. Apparently Spain might not really have intended getting a direct answer from us, but only to open diplomatic correspondence. This government will not have any such correspondence, but will make a straightforward statement of its present peace terms, for Spain's acceptance or rejection, naming conditions that under the circumstances are reasonable and even generous.

PHILIPPINES IN DOUBT.

Cabinet Adjourns to 3:30 Without Completing Its Work.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—The cabinet is now in session, deliberating over the reply to the Spanish note. Every member is present, including Attorney General Griggs, who hurried back from Canada. The session began a few minutes after 11 o'clock and the indications are that an answer will be transmitted to Spain this afternoon. It is certain that Spain must give up Cuba and Porto Rico. The Philippines decision has not yet been finally reached, but the United States will ask a port and some territory.

The cabinet adjourned at 1:30 to meet again at 3:30. Public men who talked with the President and members of the cabinet today positively assert that the administration is confident of the sincerity of the Spanish note, that the administration takes the view that this note is the beginning of the end, and that the administration is practically certain the answer of this government and the general terms it will propose will be accepted by Spain.

BEFORE THE CABINET MET.

Secretary Day Closeted with the President Forty Minutes.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—Secretary of State Day was in conference with President McKinley as early as 10:20 this morning, preliminary to laying the full draft of the answer to the Spanish peace note before the cabinet. Secretary Day drove over from the State Department, scarcely two blocks away from the White House, and hurried in to consult with the President. He carried with him a portfolio with papers, probably embracing the secretary's rough draft of what is likely to be adopted at the cabinet session as our answer to Spain, and important data in connection with the subject. While losing no time in reaching the President's side, he did stop long enough to say that whether the answer to Spain would be communicated today, or whether a statement would be given out later in the afternoon, would depend on the developments at the session about to begin. For forty minutes Secretary Day occupied himself in close and uninterrupted conference with the President. Then began the solemn deliberations of the full cabinet session.

IN GENERAL TERMS.

Conditions of Peace as Submitted to the Cabinet.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—The answer to the Spanish note to be communicated by this government, as now made up for submission to the cabinet, makes the following general terms as our conditions of peace:

The absolute cession of the island of Porto Rico, relinquishment of Spanish sovereignty in Cuba, the cession of several small islands adjacent to Cuba, and Porto Rico, to the United States, leaving the disposition of the Philippines and the other islands in that quarter subject to future negotiations.

The present aim, it is further authoritatively stated, is to establish and maintain a coaling station in the Philippines, with a full adequate land area, etc, in connection therewith, and to build up there an American city, possibly at Manila itself.

NO BASIS SUBMITTED.

Spain Assumes That an Armistice Will Follow at Once.

MADRID, July 29, 9 A. M.—Referring to the prospects of peace, the Correspondencia, an independent semi-official newspaper, says today: "While the government has asked for peace without stipulating a preliminary suspension of hostilities, it is supposed that an armistice will be declared as soon as the basis is agreed upon and pending a definite settlement. No basis has yet been submitted, but among the conditions mentioned is one relative to an international conference in London to arrange the future of the Philippine islands. We do not believe the Americans will propose such a conference, because they have no interest in doing so and could not derive any benefit therefrom. Neither is the Spanish government favorable to such a conference, considering that the negotiations which it has opened directly with the United States are better calculated to secure a good understanding between the two countries."

It is understood that Spanish transports Isla De Panay and Isla de Luzon will sail from Cadiz today for Santiago de Cuba, in order to embark the Spanish prisoners of war.

FUTURE OF THE NATION.

Hangs Upon the Answer to Spain's Proposal.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—Interest was centered this morning on the approaching cabinet meeting. It was the general expectation that in its results this meeting would prove to be the most important that has been held, not only during the present but in many preceding administrations. Upon the nature of the answer to the Spanish overtures, for peace would depend the whole future policy of the United States, for it would determine whether the nation shall now embark upon a policy of world-wide expansion or shall more cautiously content itself with expelling the Spanish flag from the western hemisphere, while at the same time providing what may be in the end ample guarantee for the extension of our trade in the East. All this means in substance that in the best judgment of close observers here the one critical point is the future of the Philippines.

As near as can be ascertained from personal inquiry, a clear majority of the cabinet are disposed to be content with the requirement of a coaling station in the Philippines, allowing Spain to retain the remaining group of the islands. However, be it stated, that within the last forty-eight hours the President has confined his confidences closely to the Secretary of State, so that the remaining members of the cabinet entered the White House today with their minds in a receptive condition as to any arguments that might be presented upon this important proposition and even prepared for delay.

In connection with the peace negotiations some significance was attached to the fact that the members of the war board conferred with Secretary Long in his office just before that official left for the cabinet meeting. While those conferences are frequent, this one was regarded as having a bearing on the present negotiations, as Captain Mahan and the other naval strategists composing the board would be able to give valuable advice on the strategic value and the necessity of coaling stations in the Philippines, Ladrones and other points in the highway to the Orient.

Secretary Day has a clear idea now as to what he desires, and when he left the State Department today for the White House he had his views outlined and ready for submission to the cabinet in documentary form. It may be that the Secretary's presentation of the case will be so clear and conclusive as to induce the remainder of the cabinet

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PONCE OURS.

Porto Rican Port Surrenders to the Dixie.

No Resistance, and Americans Welcomed with Enthusiasm.

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PORT OF PONCE, Island of Porto Rico, July 28, via the island of St. Thomas, Danish West Indies, July 29.—The port of Ponce surrendered yesterday to Commander G. H. Davis of auxiliary gunboat Dixie. There was no resistance, and the Americans were welcomed with enthusiasm.

Major General Miles arrived here this morning at daylight, with General Ernst's brigade and General Wilson's division, on board transports. General Ernst's brigade immediately started for the town of Ponce, three miles inland, which capitulated this afternoon. The American troops are pushing towards the mountains, and will join General Henry, with his brigade, at Guanica, which has been captured by our troops.

A fight before the latter place Tuesday last was won by the American volunteers. The Spaniards ambushed eight companies of the Massachusetts and Illinois regiments, but the enemy was repulsed and driven back a mile to a ridge, where the Spanish cavalry charged and were routed by our infantry.

General Garretson led the fight with the men from Illinois and Massachusetts, and the enemy retreated to Yauco, leaving four dead in the field and several wounded. None of our men was killed, and only three were slightly wounded. The wounded are: Captain Glenn Barrett, Private James Drummond, Private H. C. Gary.

The Porto Ricans are glad the American troops have landed, and say they are all Americans and will join our army.

The roads are good for military purposes, our troops are healthy and General Miles says the campaign will be short and vigorous.

Bismarck's Improved Condition.

HAMBURG, Germany, July 29.—The Nachrichten learns from Friedrichsruhe that Prince Bismarck had supper with his family last evening and that his physician, Dr. Schweninger, left Friedrichsruhe last night.

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This Morning's News

SPAIN SINCERE.

Belief That She Will Seek Peace on the Best Terms Possible.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—That peace is in sight is the confident belief of President McKinley and most of his official advisers, as a result of information which came to them today through official and newspaper channels.

A long cipher cable message was received by Secretary Day this morning from Ambassador Porter at Paris on the subject of peace negotiations. The contents of this despatch were carefully guarded from the public, but it has had the effect of convincing the authorities here that Spain is really sincere in the peace negotiations which she has inaugurated, and wants and will have peace upon the best terms she can obtain.

The general terms which the President will submit to Spain, and which must be accepted by Spain before the administration will consent to an armistice for the purpose of perfecting the details of the final agreement for ending the war, have been outlined. Information received today has led the authorities to believe that Spain will accept these conditions.

With these principles accepted by Spain as conditions preliminary to the appointment of peace commissioners for the purpose of concluding all the details incident to a complete agreement for ending the war, peace will be assured, notwithstanding the many ugly and complex questions to be settled in connection with the future government of the Philippines.

SURRENDER OF MANILA.

Spain Said to Have Received the Announcement.

MADRID, July 28.—The government, it is stated, has received a telegram announcing the surrender of Manila to Admiral Dewey.

It is understood that peace negotiations, if entered upon, will be conducted from London either by Moret or Bernabe, probably the former. In political circles it is said that, if the President's terms are harsh, General Correa will resign and be succeeded by Lopez Dominguez.

Marshal Martinez Campos has issued a declaration in favor of immediate peace. So has General Azcarraga.

The papers express indignation against the United States that hostilities have not ceased upon Spain's declaration that she wished to negotiate peace. The stock exchange has looked upon peace prospects. Most stocks have gone up five points.

NOTHING FROM MILES.

Probably on the March Across the Island to San Juan.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—No word came from General Miles today, and the War Department assumes that he is pursuing his advance across Porto Rico toward San Juan.

They attach little importance to the Spanish account of a battle at Yauco, resting confident in the belief that when the facts are known it will be found that this was a victory of the usual Spanish type, resulting in the complete achievement of the object of the American commander.

Considerable reenforcements are now arriving to support General Miles, and before the week is over the campaign there will be in full swing.

SPAIN STILL ACTIVE.

Continues Her Preparation to Meet Commodore Watson.

WASHINGTON, July 28. Although suing for peace, Spain, like the United States, is making every preparation to continue the war. Authoritative information has been received at Washington that everything possible is being done at Cartagena to put the ships under Admiral Camara's command in the best possible condition.

The rumor is current in Cartagena, according to advices received here, that the fleet is soon to sail for Cadiz, where such additional repairs as may be necessary will be made and everything done to put the squadron in condition to defend Spain against the attack of the much feared Eastern squadron.

No doubt exists in the minds of naval experts that if Spain refuses to comply with the demands of President McKinley the station of Admiral Camara's fleet will be either under the guns of Cuba or Cadiz.

Camara at Cadiz Again.

MADRID, July 28. Captain Antoni, minister of marine, has received a dispatch from Admiral Camara announcing that his fleet has cast anchor at Cadiz.

The papers generally express the opinion that the Cortes will reassemble in September.

A CONTENTED MARINE.

Corporal Alonzo Bocardus of the United States marine corps returns home, after a five years' service, with something over $230 in money. Of this $65 was money allowed him for traveling expenses to Annapolis, where he enlisted. Some $70 was coming to him out of the clothing fund, he not having drawn out his full allotment of clothing during the years he has been in the service. Forty-eight dollars represented the amount kept back from his pay the first year he was in the corps, a practice which was then abolished. Other items, such as interest and accounts allowed him by the department, footed up the total mentioned.

From what the corporal says, the marine is a pretty well-cared-for man when he is serving this country. He is paid $15 a month for the first three years, as a private, his wages then being increased $1 a month each year, giving him $18 a month in the fifth year. When his term of enlistment expires he is entitled to three months' furlough. That is, he gets his discharge papers, and if before three months have expired he reenlists he starts off at the same rate of pay he was getting when discharged, and is given three months' pay and the regular allowances for that time.

"I think I will be back in the service when my time is up," said the corporal. "I was anxious for my discharge to come, but I am beginning to feel lonely already. Five years' association with a large body of men and life on ship and in barracks does a man a liking for the corps that he is not really aware of until he tries to break away from it. There is lots of hard work in the duties of a marine, but take it all the way through it is not such a tough job. Some people seem to think that a marine only does a sort of police duty on a ship that he handles a rifle and nothing else. But that is a mistake. The marine must be up in the use of the Gatling and other rapid-fire guns, and is trained in the handling of the main battery of the ship, in addition to being thoroughly drilled in the use of the small arm. He is a much more valuable man on board ship than to merely act as a policeman over the sailors, as so many people regard him.

"In time of war the marine has a doubly dangerous life. In addition to his work on ship, he makes up the landing parties, and, as has been shown in Cuba, he is generally a pretty good fighter on land, as well as at sea. A man who does his duty and tries to give satisfaction is encouraged and has a fair sort of life. The grub at sea at times is not any too good, but when on land he gets pretty good fare. Each marine is allowed $9 a month for rations, and, as the mess is generally made up of eighteen or twenty, it is possible with care to give a reasonably good fare. Of course, since the war broke out it has not been as good as in time of peace, but that was to be expected."

Corporal Bogardus served some time on the Maine. His last vessel was the Lancaster.—[Savannah News.

REVERSED SEXES.

Time—Year 2000.

Scene—Dining room of Mrs. and Mr. Laterday.

Each is arrayed in a costume reversed from the custom of their ancestors. The wife wears an ultra style of bloomers, with vest, cutaway coat and black four-in-hand necktie; hair short and parted in the middle. The husband is clothed in a light blue wrapper, fluffy sleeves, close cut beard and long hair arranged a la mode of the latest French knot. They sit at the breakfast table, Susan reading the morning paper, while John is slowly pouring out the coffee, frowning and muttering incoherent sentences as the right sleeve of his morning gown falls accidentally into the dark, Brazilian beverage before him. The children, Mary and Willie, respectively 13 and 14 years of age, occupy seats on either side of the table.

John's mind wanders in retrospection as with a daily he dries the moistened sleeves. This is the tenor of his thoughts: "Little did the fathers of 1898 conceive that their posterity would think, act and dress as they do today. Here I am a continual housebody and haven't the opportunity of leaving my duties even for a moment. The entire morning is consumed in caring for the children, getting them ready for school, cleaning their faces and hands, and, above all, plaiting little Willie's hair, which reaches to his waist—and such a lovely color! Then it is so hard to keep his dresses clean, more so than my own, though I am constantly in the kitchen, and darn the holes in his stockings.

"Alas! I wish boys wore pants as they did 100 years ago. But, then, I can't complain, for he is so amiable and quiet. If he were but like Mary and could dress as she does, I should have no trouble in keeping him clean and respectable. Her bloomers are never soiled, her short, barber cut hair so easily brushed, and if she were not so robust, rollicking and mischievous I should dote on her. I live in constant dread that Willie may become 'Tom girlish' and Mary lose her head or a limb while playing football or cricket. A housekeeper's life is indeed a hard one."

At this juncture Susan lays aside the paper, saying: "This is miserable. Stocks and bonds are depreciating rapidly, the 'goldbugs' of Wall street are riding rough shod recklessly over all competitors and monopolists are oppressing private industries with heels of iron. (Looking up) John, dear, the coffee is very weak. Why don't you scold the cook? You know I haven't the time to overlook domestic affairs, being absent from home all day. And the biscuits, dearest! How different from those my father used to make! (Sighing) Poor me! I shall have dyspepsia before another week is ended. (Turning to Mary) Daughter, how do you like your new bicycle?"

Mary—Oh, it is just too nice for anything, and I have outstripped every other girl in the neighborhood racing round the block! They are all envious of me. But what do you think, mamma? Willie asked me yesterday to let him ride, and straddle at that. (Willie blushes and covers his face with his hands as he violently coughs.) The idea of my brother, a boy, wanting to ride a bicycle! It is ridiculous, indecent. What would the other girls say?

Mother (almost unnerved by the disclosure of Willie's desire)—I am astounded that my son, a Saturday, should so far have forgotten himself as to act in a manner so unbecoming a little gentleman. Be content, my child, with your dolls and dresses. These are better suited to your position.

Father (soothingly)—There, darling, don't cry. Mother didn't intend to hurt my little angel's feelings. Susan, you should deal more gently with the gentler sex.

Mother—Hush, John! You are little better than your son. Your head is as soft as putty.

Tears come into John's eyes. He and Willie weep violently, while the mother and daughter sit in silence, apparently deploring the weakness of the male sex.

After the lapse of a few moments John, an ideal husband, believing his wife's criticism to be just and proper, recovers a smile, and Willie, replacing a fallen hairpin, stuffs a butter cake in his mouth. At this interval the maid, an Irishman, clad in lavender skirt, green waist and leather belt, enters, hands warm buckwheats around, and with a light "courtsy" exits.

Wife—John, I prefer that you engage a German or an Englishman. The Hibernian, in my opinion, is not suited for his labors. Now our butler, the French girl, is exemplary, and none better could be secured. By the bye, John, while I think of it, Lucy Harrison was inquiring your age on yesterday.

John (bursting into a temper)—The idea! The impertinence of the woman! Of course it is all right to ask yours, but a husband's age should be held sacred and above the curiosity of the vulgar.

Tears again steal into his eyes and trickle noiselessly to his bread as he contemplates this unpardonable insult.

Breakfast over, Susan arises, calls for overcoat and rubbers and turns to go out.

John (interrupting)—Wifey, I desire to do some shopping this morning. Please give me $20.

Susan—Oh, John, John, you are very extravagant and will break me yet. I think you might try to economize during these hard times.

John—But, Susan, you know my cosmetics are out, and I must have more before tonight, because I don't care to make a worse appearance than Mrs. B.'s husband. Besides, my pug is unwell and must have the immediate attention of a skillful physician. But I shall take Fido in the carriage to Dr. Cure instead of paying extra for a visit.

Susan—Very well, John. You shall have it. You were always a dear creature—so kind and thoughtful; but, sweetheart, do wear a small bonnet to the theater this evening. I detest large hats, as do other ladies, and be sure to put on your long gloves, so as to conceal the horrid imprints of vaccination on your arm, and don't require me to wait a long time while preparing your toilet. It is so annoying.

John—All right, dear. You will find me ready. Don't forget the opera tickets, for I am in such a flutter to hear the new singer—such a charming soprano voice, and he is so handsome, a native born Italian.

Susan—Goodby. I'll remember.

Kisses him affectionately, lights a cigar, boards an electric car and is off for the troubles and cares of commercial life.

John reenters the house, hastens the children to school, gives a few directions to the servants, changes his breakfast gown for a walking costume, and the last glimpse we catch of our hero he is standing on a chair, holding his skirts well over his knees and screaming lustily at the approach of a tiny, frisky mouse.

John is exceptionally pious, and the first syllable of his daily prayer is a plea for the emancipation of his sex.—Exchange.

THE LESSON OF THE CENTURY.

To sum up, I should say that the trend of the century has been to a great increase in knowledge which has been found to be, as of old, the knowledge of good and evil; that this knowledge has become more and more the property of all men rather than of a few; that, as a result, the very increase of opportunity has led to the magnifying of the problems with which humanity is obliged to deal, and that we find ourselves, at the end of the century, face to face with problems of world-wide importance and utmost difficulty, and with no new means of coping with them other than the patient education of the masses of men. However others may tremble as they contemplate the perplexities of the coming century, the children of the universities should find it easy to keep heart, for they know that higher things have been developed in pain and struggle out of lower, slow creation began; and in the atmosphere of the university, with its equality of privilege and wealth of opportunity open to all, they must have learned, if they have learned anything of value, the essential nobility of the democratic spirit that so surely holds the future in its hands—the spirit that seeks, with the strength of all, to serve all and uplift all.—[Seth Low, in August Atlantic.

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NEW TELEPHONE RULES.

System of Restricting Number of Calls to be Introduced.

In New Bedford the telephone company has given notice of a change of rules in relation to the use of telephones after August 1. Telephones for which the yearly rental is $36 or $18 will then be limited to 750 messages a year; all messages sent out over that number will be charged for at the rate of five cents each. All party lines on which the present charge is over $18 and all private lines are not affected by this ruling.

The average number of calls per day is said to be six; and the new rule cuts this down to a fraction over two. The company claims that many of the calls now made are by non-subscribers, and that the new rule will do away with these. In many cases, however, it is known that such calls are of a business nature, being to houses that pay good sums for telephone service just to receive orders by telephone. It is also shown by some of the New Bedford people that it will be impossible for a business man to call up his own store on a house telephone without paying five cents therefor, as the number of calls allowed is not sufficient for the house.

This system has been in use in Brockton for two years, in Taunton for less, and in Fall River for a short time. Better service is supplied by a long distance instrument. The same sort of rule will, it is understood, be introduced in Newport as soon as the new telephone building is in running order.

THE SUMMER GIRL WILL GO INTO CAMP IN SOLDIER FASHION.

Military camps will be one of the summer girl's most prolific sources of amusement—not the camp of the real soldiers, where she is permitted to go only at rare intervals, but her own camp, away off somewhere in the woods or on the lake, where she and some other nice girls, with their aunts or mothers, are spending the summer and cooking their eatables in a war kettle, suspended from a forked stick over a camp fire.

"If we cannot be soldiers and fight, we can at least camp out and endure some of the hardships which real soldiers have to bear," say these dear girls, with hearts swelling in patriotism.

They contrive, however, to have the tent pitched somewhere near a hotel, where they can row and get supper when needed, and it is lots of fun "foraging," as they call it, for often there are agreeable people at the hotel who are polite enough to row them back or invite them to something nice that may be going on there.

Of course, they wear military clothes, and, were it not for their skirts, might easily be mistaken for scouts or sentries at the outposts of an encampment.

Cooking their own food in this fashion is not always any more familiar a task than it is to real soldiers, but since they do not have to eat hard tack and salt horse, they are reconciled to such smaller inconveniences of cooking and keeping up a campfire for the sake of the fun of living in war tents and playing soldier.

One young woman, who is to join a party of this kind, unblushingly declares that she expects to be an expert in the art of foraging for fowls before the summer is over, and says that she has been taking lessons from a military friend as to the best way of carrying home the spoils.

A knapsack is a part of the outfit of these make-believe soldiers, and when they go on long tramps each girl fills hers with sandwiches and other eatables, instead of carrying a basket.—[Philadelphia Times.

SPANISH SOLDIERS ARE NOT TO BE DESPISED.

It is the Cuban idea to belittle, in every possible manner, every arm of the Spanish service. Cavalrymen cannot ride. Artillerists cannot find the range. Infantrymen cannot march or shoot. Their arms are antiquated and their heart is not in the fight. A Cuban scout told me that if a Spanish cavalryman galloped his horse he would fall off; if any of the Spanish army heard a gunshot they would run away. My observations have not found this to be a fact, however, and I do not think too much dependence should be placed upon the prejudiced word of the over-enthusiastic patriot from across the gulf. The time that we spent on the Cuban coast showed the Spaniards to be very alert, and ready for attack. They have an excellent signal service both with wires and with heliograph and flags. The intelligence of our movements was evidently conveyed by their service each day, as the movement of troops indicated. Batteries had been placed at every spot where a ship could be landed. Anything but a landing in force would be the extremity of folly.—[J. F. J. Archibald, in August Scribner's.

PORTSMOUTH.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

The lawn party which was to have been held at the guild house Thursday afternoon and evening was, on account of the rainy and foggy weather, deferred until today, with the understanding that, should today prove unfavorable, it will be held Saturday.

The meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, which was to have been held at Mrs. Alexander G. Manchester's, was also postponed until today.

Edwin J. Lord has gone to Baltimore with the expectation of remaining in that locality if he finds employment.

Miss Emily Sellew of Providence is guest for a few days of Miss Bertha S. Hicks of Bristol Ferry.

Mrs. Conner A. Easterbrooks remains very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur P. Angell, of Providence.

Mr. John G. Barker and family sent a box of good things Thursday to Elmer Barker at Camp Alger.

Mr. John E. DeBlois of Taunton has been guest of his mother, Mrs. Mary Ann DeBlois. He can step into an electric car at his own door and step out at his mother's.

About twenty friends of Councilman John L. Tallman gave him a surprise party Wednesday evening, on the occasion of his forty-first birthday. They carried with them refreshments. A very handsome cake was marked with his initials and the date of his birth and that of Wednesday.

A large amount of patriotism is shown in the display of flags in various localities. In putting up a flag there is a right way and a wrong way, and perhaps the gentleman who put up one Union down, Thursday, was fully as patriotic as though it had been put right side up, but he had to endure a good deal of good-natured raillery and will know how to put it up right next time.

Mr. Louis R. Chase of Providence is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Constant C. Chase.

MIDDLETOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

A barn belonging to Mr. Philip Brown, on Brown's lane, was destroyed by fire Wednesday night. Mr. Brown was at work in a room in the barn and had a fire with which he was heating iron in repairing a machine, and it is presumed that the fire originated from sparks. Another rumor has it that it was caused by the over-turning of a lantern. The barn was full of new mown hay and farming implements, which were a total loss.

Mr. B. F. Medbury is in town for a few days.

Mrs. William Howland of Newport is guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. Clinton Smith. Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Lee, and family have returned to their home in Newport.

Mrs. John H. Manchester visited Providence Tuesday.

Mrs. George Irish has as guests her mother, Mrs. Smith, and her sister, Miss Lillian Smith.

The Methodist Episcopal Sunday school has had very unfavorable picnic weather during the past two days. Picnickers seem fated to disappointment this year.

In spite of the dense fog last evening there were a few persons who cared enough for the band concert to drive to Newport to sit out in the "dewy eve."

A DEMI-SEASON WRAP.

The plain cape has had its day—that is as a garment designed for dress occasions. The cloth cape of medium length of course is still used, as well as the longer, plain capes of heavy woolen with the wrong side plaided. But for the short wrap of elegance the cape is passé. Numerous little dainty models are made with a jacket bodice, reaching only to the waist, with cape sleeves. Some of there are fitted, while others hang loose, modeled after the Empire jacket. Still others are more simple, the cut and trimming giving this effect.

The model shown here is one of this

class. The body of the garment is cut to fit over the shoulders and hang straight from them, both back and front. The cape sleeve is semi-circular, and joined to the body without gathers at the top. The trimming, in this case of guipure, of brown color, accentuates the shape, the straight edges being on the outside, the points joined by bows of black ribbon. Moire is the fabric used in the garment. A ruche of Liberty silk finishes the neck.

ARMY AND NAVY EVOLUTION.

The latest style of soldier is not, as the latest engine of warship, liable at any moment to become a self-stopping piece of machinery, and on this particular score a tremendous superiority rests with the modern army over the modern fleet, which has been so revolutionized from top to bottom, inside and outside, as to be entirely unlike that of former times. Suddenly enabled to view the century's closing scenes, the hero of Waterloo could have no difficulty in recognizing any existing army to be an army; but surely the hero of Trafalgar would need a new pair of eyes before he could see a fleet in the costly and rare naval monsters that now claim to rule the ocean, though admittedly after "a German clock, still a repairing" sort of way.

There always has been an element of uncertainty involved in ship-fighting entirely absent in soldier-fighting, owing to the very different conditions under which each occurs. This element is enormously increased by the actual structure of naval vessels, and the fact has been clearly demonstrated, even in the slight practice that has up to this time been had with them. These vessels afford too wide a scope for chance to get in its work upon them, individually and collectively. Maritime warfare must be mainly of fleet against fleet, since it is not feasible for ships, under the present changed conditions, to cope with land forces solidly embanked and supported. It is in pure fighting on the sea of fleet against fleet that chance work can tell with terrible effect, because it cannot be held that in a sea fight or anywhere else "chances are equal;" equality of chances being impossible, inequality being the governing law in the nature of things. Chance may so disarrange the many and wonderful intricacies of the vessels in a contending fleet as to annul it together with the superiority of skill possessed by its personnel over that of its opponent, the utmost ability of the commander on the one side being thus made to yield to the vastly inferior capacity management of his opponent. Through excessive complexity of make-up, the current ships are certainly unequal to all the straining requirements of battle, which call for precisely and surely working machines from which the play of chance may be as far as possible eliminated and guarded against. Invention has wrought an immense change in the armament of navies and armies, especially of navies; but the supreme controller over both remains now, as of yore, identical—the ever-constant and unchangeable power of mind.—[Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly for August.

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The ship we ride the world in sniffs the
 Westorm
 And throws its head up to the hurricane,
 Quivering like a war-horse when ranks form
 With scream of bugles and the shout of men;
Neighs to the challenge of the thunder-bolt
 And charges in the squadrons of the surge,
 Sabring its way with fury of revolt,
 And lashed with exultation as a scourge.
Who would not rather founder in the fight
 Than not have known the glory of the fray?
 Ay, to go down in armor and in might,
With our last breath to dominate dismay,
 To sink amid the mad sea's clashing spears,
 And with the cry of bugles in our ears!

—[Richard Hovey, in August Century.

DESTINY.

The angel said:
"All places are to thee this threshing-floor;
Vainly before thee stands its open door.

"Here shalt thou dwell, nor ever mayst thou quail;
Here stand, and swing the never-resting flail.

"Here out of empty chaff thresh thou full grain
To wave triumphant under sun and rain;

"Nay, out of sands of waiting see thou beat,
With tireless stroke, Hope's golden-tossing wheat.

"Thresh thou humiliation's bitter seed
To lofty pride sufficient for thy need;

"And fear and terror beat thou out, O soul,
To courage high that dares to face the whole.

"Then from the pain tossed all about thy feet
Thresh strong content, and peace and joy complete.

"Count thou enough thy faith of yesterday
Until tomorrow's find its tardy way,

"Nor dream thou that thy lot thou canst evade;
Stand firm! Swing sure!" the low-voiced angel said;

Then spread his wings, high poised in steady flight
Where all the stars were shining in the night.

—[Anna C. Brackett, in Harper's Magazine for August.

FANCIES.

"This weather is the wine of life,"
 Remarked my friend McGuggy;
"'Tis lager beery, sir," said I,
 "For it is slightly muggy."
—[Puck.

Father—What makes you think you can earn enough to support my daughter?
 Suitor—Well, I've been engaged to her for six months.—[Life.

General Toral reported that he had not a single colonel left. General Toral ought to place a few orders with Kentucky and Georgia.—[Galveston (Texas) News.

"How short the years seem! When I was a boy on the old farm they were much longer."
 "Yes, and if you were to try that sort of work now they'd seem longer still."—[Life.

It is to be hoped that if any of the Spaniards in this country become naturalized they will not attempt base ball. A Spanish pitcher couldn't hit the grand stand.—[Rochester Democrat.

Mr. Spinkum—Ah, this reminds me of the pie my dear mother used to make.
 Mrs. Spinkum—Oh, Alfred, you don't know how glad I am to hear you say that!
 Mr. Spinkum—It's so different, you know, dear.—[Chicago News.

Freddy's uncle—Well, no Freddy, I don't think I care to swap knives with you; you see there's a history goes with my knife.
 Freddy (after a moment of sad reflection)—Well, Uncle Jack, there's a "Robinson Crusoe" goes with mine—how'll that do?—[Truth.

Crusty old man—Come, now, I want you to stop fooling around here, and I've told my daughter that she must not see you any more.
 Young Mr. Bright—Do you call making a grand play for the only child of a millionaire "fooling around?" My dear sir, I gave you credit for the possession of a better idea of business than that.—[Chicago News.

THE LONGWOOD TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

Owing to the rain yesterday it was impossible to continue the play in the Longwood tennis tournament. The program scheduled will be carried out today.

In the singles the semi-final matches will be between Whitman and Budlong and Wrenn and Millett. In the doubles McKittrick and Pier will play Seaver and Ewer, the winners of this match will play the winners of Hooker and Hackett vs. Carleton and Wright, and this will be followed by Wrenn and Whitman vs. the winners of S. Ware and Putnam vs. Codman and Marvin.

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NEWPORT PROBATE NOTICES.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport, in Rhode Island, holden on Monday the 11th day of July A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

On the petition in writing of Godfrey Moffitt presented this day, praying, that he or some other suitable person may be appointed Guardian of the person and estate of

FANNY L. MOFFITT

who is represented in said petition as a resident of Newport of full age and unsound mind.

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 1st day of August 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News, once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 18th day of July A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Louezur E. Burlingame, Executrix of the last will and testament of Sarah J. Reynolds, who was executrix of the last will and testament of her husband

HENRY G. REYNOLDS

late of Newport, deceased, presents her account of administration on the estate of said deceased, Henry G. Reynolds and prays that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 8th day of August 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 18th day of July A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M.

On the petition, in writing, of Mary G. Henderson and Ann E. Freeborn presented this day, praying that an instrument in writing presented therewith, purporting to be the last will and testament of

CATHERINE G. FREEBORN

late of Newport, deceased, may be proved, approved, allowed and recorded, and that letters of administration with the will annexed on the estate of said deceased may be granted to Ann E. Freeborn or some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 8th day of August 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 18th day of July A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M.

On the petition, in writing, of Charles H. Taber presented this day, praying that an instrument in writing presented therewith, purporting to be the last will and testament of

JAMES GROFF

late of Newport, deceased, may be proved, approved, allowed and recorded, and that letters testamentary on the estate of said deceased may be granted to him, the Executor named therein.

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 8th day of August 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

The subscriber having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Administrator on the Estate of

JOHN BROWN

late of said Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having claims against said estate to present them to him or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to

WILLIAM A. COGGESHALL, Administrator.

Newport, R. I., July 22d, 1898.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE.

The subscriber having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Executrix of the last will and testament of

THOMAS PREECE

late of said Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to her or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to

BRIDGET PREECE, Executrix.

Newport, R. I., July 22d, 1898.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE.

The subscriber having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Executrix of the last will and testament of

HANNAH GORTON

late of said Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to her or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to

HENRIETTA C. GORTON, Executrix.

Newport, R. I., July 22, 1898.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

The subscriber having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Administrator with the will annexed on the Estate of

ANGELIQUE LOUISE VIRGINIA CUNNINGHAM

late of said Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having claims against said estate to present them to him or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to

CHARLES T. HOPKINS, Administrator with the will annexed.

Newport, R. I., July 22d, 1898.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 25th day of July A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

On the petition, in writing, of Harry Alger presented this day, praying that letters of administration on the estate of

NICHOLAS B. ALGER,

late of said Newport, deceased, intestate, may be granted to Elizabeth B. Alger or some other suitable person:

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 15th day of August 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 25th day of July A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Lewis L. Simmons, Administrator on the estate of

MARY C. COTTRELL,

late of Newport, deceased, presents his first and final account of administration on said estate and prays that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded, and for an order of distribution of the balance that may be found due from him as such administrator among those who are legally entitled thereto.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 15th day of August, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 25th day of July A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Edwin S. Burdick, Administrator with will annexed on the estate of

THOMAS PEASE,

late of Newport, deceased, presents his first and final account of administration on said estate and prays that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 15th day of August, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

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NEWPORT PROBATE NOTICES.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 25th day of July A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Lewis L. Simmons, Administrator on the estate of

JOSEPH S. COTTRELL,

late of Newport, deceased, presents his first and final account of administration on said estate and prays that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded, and for an order of distribution of the balance that may be found due from him as such administrator among those who are legally entitled thereto.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 15th day of August 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD, Probate Clerk.

PORTSMOUTH PROBATE NOTICES.

Clerk's Office of the Probate Court, Portsmouth, R. I. July 20th, 1898.

Mr. Horace Gilmore, administrator on the estate of

GRACE DOUGLAS

late of said Portsmouth, deceased, files his final account, in this office, to the Probate Court to be holden at the Town Hall, in said Portsmouth on the 2d Monday in August next, at 1 o'clock P. M. for examination and allowance, and has applied to me to cause previous notice thereof to be published 14 days once a week, at least, in the Newport Daily News.

PHILIP B. CHASE, Probate Clerk.

BLOCK ISLAND PROBATE NOTICES.

Probate Court of the Town of New Shoreham July 5th, 1898. Estates of Georgia E. and Charles F. Millikin.

Petition in writing is made by Katie E. Millikin, the mother of said Georgia E. and Charles F. Millikin, requesting that she, said Katie E. Millikin of said New Shoreham, or some other suitable person may be appointed guardian of the persons and estates of said

GEORGIA E. MILLIKIN AND CHARLES F. MILLIKIN

minors under the age of fourteen years, children of George A. Millikin late of New Shoreham deceased, and said petition is received and referred to the first day of August at 1 o'clock, P. M., at the Town Hall, in said New Shoreham for consideration; and it is ordered that notice thereof be published for fourteen days, once a week, in the Newport Daily News.

EDWARD P. CHAMPLIN, Probate Clerk.

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

The undersigned, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of

LEMUEL B. SPRAGUE,

late of the Town of New Shoreham, deceased, which will has been admitted to probate by the Probate Court of the Town of New Shoreham, hereby gives notice that he has accepted said trust and has given bond according to law.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned or file the same in the office of the clerk of said court within six months from the date of the first advertisement hereof.

GEORGE C. SPRAGUE, Executor.

New Shoreham, July 15th, 1898.

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PRINTING.

The News has six steam presses and has a large and well-appointed job printing office.

Newport Daily News

FRIDAY, JULY 29, 1898.

ROOSEVELT FOR GOVERNOR.

It would be a sorry thing for the political bosses on both sides, in New York, should Theodore Roosevelt appear as a successful candidate for the governorship. He is by them held in the greatest abhorrence, and very naturally, because he is opposed to all their methods. There may be nothing in the newspaper talk concerning the coming forward of the "Rough Rider" commander, but it would not be a bad outcome of the war should he do so. He might or might not be elected, but in either case he would do much toward breaking the machines by one or the other of which the government of the state is now conducted.

The Chicago Record takes up the discussion and thoroughly endorses the candidacy of Roosevelt on the ground that this is a war of sentiment; and the sentiment of the nation that should impel the people to go to war in the name of humanity and civilization in order to free a neighboring people from misrule should also avail to accomplish the overthrow at home of the forces making for misgovernment and wrong.

The Record goes on to say: "New York city and state have furnished the worst examples of misgovernment in this country. Between the Platt machine and the Tammany machine, conspiring together and working in harmony in the interest of public plunder, the people have had a sorry time of it. Roosevelt has been the foe of both machines and the most promising champion of good government. His election as governor would mark a new era for New York. Without the candidacy of some such man as he it seems likely that one or the other of the disgraceful New York machines—it matters little which—will succeed in naming the chief executive of the state.

This, we suppose, is on the theory that the physician should heal himself; or, in other words, that a people who attempt to give good government to their neighbors, and proceed so far as by force of arms to compel them to accept it, should do something in their own interests by advancing reforms in the same direction at home. In some respects New York is as badly governed as Manila or Havana, and its affairs more completely directed by one man power than in either of those cities on which we are expending so much sympathy, and for which we are pouring out so much blood and treasure.

Colonel Roosevelt may not be a popular man in the ordinary acceptation of the term, and we by no means always agree with him; but he is honest and faithful to his convictions; and his administration, if elected governor, would break in pieces both the Platt and Tammany machines and bring horror and dismay to the spoilsmen throughout the country.

THE COMING ELECTIONS.

Some one who has been looking over the field declares in public print that not in a period of fifteen years has it happened that so many officials, federal and state, are to be chosen as this fall. A new House of Representatives is to be elected. Legislatures are to be chosen which will fill thirty vacancies to occur next March in the United States Senate. Three of these thirty Senators, however, have already been chosen. McComas from Maryland; Hanna, from Ohio, and Aldrich, from Rhode Island. The other Senators whose terms will expire March 4, 1899, are White of California, Hawley of Connecticut, Gray of Delaware, Pasco of Florida, Turpie of Indiana, Hale of Maine, Lodge of Massachusetts, Burrows of Michigan, Davis of Minnesota, Money of Mississippi, Cockrell of Missouri, Mantle of Montana, Allen of Nebraska, Stewart of Nevada, Smith of New Jersey, Murphy of New York, Roach of North Dakota, Quay of Pennsylvania, Bate of Tennessee, Mills of Texas, Cannon of Utah, Proctor of Vermont, Daniel of Virginia, Wilson of Washington, Faulkner of West Virginia, Mitchell of Wisconsin and Clark of Wyoming.

The Republicans are congratulating themselves over the assumption that they are pretty certain to lose none of their present Senators, and are equally confident of making some gains. But we will not attempt to balance probabilities in this respect at this time.

In no less than thirty-one states governors are to be elected this year, a coincidence of expirations truly remarkable. Of those whose terms expire ten are Democrats, sixteen Republicans, three Populists and two Democrat-Populist fusionists. In one state, Oregon, a Republican governor has already been elected. Alabama will vote August 1 for a governor and all state officers. So will Arkansas September 5, both states, of course, electing solid Democratic tickets. Vermont will elect a Republican governor and a full state ticket September 6, and Maine will do the same September 12. October 5 Georgia will elect a successor to Governor Atkinson. The states which will elect governors November 8 are California, Colorado, Connecticut, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Dakota, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Washington and West Virginia.

THE FARMERS' OUTLOOK.

The old question, Does farming pay? is just now receiving a solution more satisfactory to the tillers of the soil than formerly. The last year was crowned with fatness, as every one knows, the like not having been seen for a long time before in this country. According to expert figures, the farmers profited last year a thousand million dollars over 1895. Nearly one half this enormous profit went to pay off farm mortgages, and the balance made extensive home improvements and swelled the farmers' bank balance.

But one successful season does not create an era of prosperity. How about the future? It is declared to be even better for the year to come. Says an enthusiastic authority:

"The Western wheat fields are already yellowing to the finest crop on record, and the price is likely to be even better than last year. This year, too, the farmer is in condition to own his wheat crop and hold it for a still better price. Last year he was, as a rule, compelled to sell or mortgage his crop before it was harvested, and did not reap the full advantage of 'dollar wheat.' Corn, oats and hay are similarly promising, and in the few instances in which prolonged drought has lessened the yield of some of the farmers' staples the higher prices likely to prevail ought to more than compensate for a crop shortage.

"The close of the war, whatever may be the terms of peace, is bound to open new markets for the farm products of our country and inaugurate a new era of agricultural prosperity. Cuba and Porto Rico, whatever their political future, will be wide open to American commerce; Hawaii and the Philippines will throw open the gates not only of these islands, but indirectly of China, Japan and the entire Asiatic coast. The farmer's lot has not been for several years previous to 1898 a particularly happy one, but his day of prosperity is just dawning."

PREACHING IN THE ARMY.

A chaplain in the army, in writing a private letter to his friends at home, says: "I find this is no place for sensational preaching. The boys attend service very generally, even those who are clearly unaccustomed to devotions, when we have opportunity; and they help in the singing with manifest enjoyment. But they want the old gospel. They don't care for timely things."

It is a pity if the clergyman in question had to go to the army to find that out. While there are some people at home that favor the kind of preaching to which the soldiers object, it is true that the great majority want none of these things. There has been, and is, altogether too much preaching outside of gospel lines in almost every community. We can now scarcely call this sensational preaching, from the fact that the offender has been so repeatedly committed that it has ceased to be considered strange, or even curious.

The Newport swill scow is reported as having sailed from its slip at City wharf this morning. It is one of the events worthy of notice under present circumstances. Though under contract to make these voyages several times a week, no one has seemed to possess the authority, or at least to exercise it, to force the contractor to do as he had agreed. Day after day the scow has remained in port, reeking with an overflow of the most offensive material, both inside and out, and while everybody has complained no official has bethought himself to stir in the premises, except with the utmost precision and formality. It is to be hoped that the men soon to take this business in charge will do so with more efficiency and a keener sense of the proprieties of the situation.

General Miles is supposed to have disappointed everybody by making his landing at Porto Rico just where it was not expected. It is said that the department at Washington was thunderstruck at the change of plans, but it is safe to assume that President McKinley understood the matter from the first.

Several charming young ladies have announced that they are going to be married to Lieutenant Hobson, and in one case at least publication was made to that effect through the newspaper by the young woman herself. But Hobson denies all these stories, and thus puts the girls to shame.

Mayor Van Wyck has just appointed thirty-four inspectors of common schools in New York. And yet His Honor has shown that he has no special knowledge of those institutions and no especial interest in them. Ten to one the whole business is a mere matter of politics with the appointing power.

Postmaster Van Cott of New York city proclaims the opinion that if the Republican party is united it will be able to carry the state this fall. The Democrats are of like mind so far as their own interests are concerned. As a matter of fact, neither party is united, and is not likely to be.

A contract has been made for laying a cable from San Francisco to the Philippine islands, by way of Hong Kong. The work is to be done within six months, and the cost is said to be $10,000,000.

Spain is said to be "shooting the rapids of domestic anarchy," but if she does not shoot any better in that direction than she does in some others not much will come of it.

Reports continue to come in that Manila has surrendered, but they do not come from such sources and in such form as to inspire confidence.

THE MAGAZINES.

A valuable paper on "The American Association for the Advancement of Science," by John Ritchie, Jr., opens the New England Magazine for August. With the article appear portraits of those most prominently connected with the association, the portrait of William B. Rogers, its first president, forming the frontispiece of the magazine. Mr. R. Clipston Sturgis contributes an important article on "The Evils of Our Wooden Suburbs," pointing out the danger which arises when the thickly settled suburbs of a large city contain so many wooden buildings. Several articles on the metropolitan park system have already appeared in the magazine, but none better than the description of "The Middlesex Fells," by William B. de las Casas, in the present number. This portion of the metropolitan reservation is one of the most charming and valuable. Another article which is especially suitable for summer reading is the delightful description of a walk over some "Old Roads in New Hampshire," by William H. Stone. Mr. Stone's purpose on the journey he here describes was to follow the still-existing traces of an old road which was located in the vicinity of Keene a hundred and twenty years before. In "Summer Camping in the Woodland" Mrs. Isabel C. Barrows describes the delightfully free life of a summer camp in the forest. Mr. Henry C. Shelley writes of Stoke Poges, under the title "The Birthplace of Gray's Elegy," and illustrates his paper with many of his own charming photographs. "A New 'Twice-Told Tale' by Nathaniel Hawthorne" is copied in full by Mr. F. B. Sanborn from the Boston Token, where it appeared in 1831, under the title "The Haunted Quack" by "Joseph Nicholson." Mr. Sanborn states his reasons for believing this to be one of Hawthorne's earlier productions, comparing certain phases of the story with like characteristics in Hawthorne's other works. "Working Out His Salvation" is the title of a story by Ada Benlwick Stone, while Harriet A. Nash contributes one entitled "A Plainville Sensation." There is the usual amount of good poetry in the number.

The first number of the Critic as a monthly (July-August) is, as the announcement of the change promised, unique among literary journals. In the first place it has an illustration on the cover, and a very striking one it is. One might feel a little strange at the sight of this fierce swordsman if he did not come upon the familiar Lounger on the very first pages of the magazine. More pictures were promised, and this promise also is fulfilled, for there are forty-five illustrations, large and small. They are all interesting, some of them unusually so. There is an article by Miss Edith M. Thomas, called "An Alabaster Box," in which she directs attention, in melodious prose and verse, to a young East Indian poetess whom she met in London last year. Another, with portrait, etc., tells of Mrs. Deland "At Home." A description of the burial of Poe is given by the man who buried him. An article on the popular actors Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Le Moyne includes an account by the latter of a reading to Browning and Bret Harte. Some pertinent comments on "The Literary Agent" are made by Miss Gilder, and there are about thirty pages of reviews of the more important among the recently published books. All appearances are in favor of the success of the Critic in its new form.

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WANTED—Waitress and chambermaid. References required. Apply at 6 Sunnyside place.

WANTED—Young woman to do general housework, and must be a good plain cook. Box 60, Daily News Office.

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GENERAL WANTS.

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ATTENTION!—Ladies wishing to dispose of their cast-off clothing, diamonds, jewelry and silverware, will receive highest prices by addressing Mrs. Cohen, 520 Sixth Ave., New York. Will call on receipt of postal.

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A pair of horses; also single horse; must be small and well-mannered. Inquire at stable, Eastbourne Lodge, Rhode Island avenue.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Black cocker spaniel bitch. Finder will please return to P. S. Simmons, at the Post-office.

LOST—Monday, a saddle pad. Finder will please return to 121 Bellevue avenue.

TENEMENTS, ROOMS AND BOARD.

WANTED—Furnished rooms for one or two months—three neatly furnished bedrooms, with or without board, in a house with piazza accommodations. Must be reasonable in price. Satisfactory reference. Address Box 41, Daily News Office.

TO LET—Small tenement, $8 a month and water rates. Apply at Stevens's Trunk Store, 48 & 50 Spring street.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—With or without board, at 22 Prospect Hill street. Mrs. C. Anderson.

Cottage for Sale.

CENTRAL AND ATTRACTIVE LOCATION; PRICE VERY REASONABLE. THE HOUSE BEING WELL BUILT AND IN THOROUGH ORDER AND REPAIR, IT IS RECOMMENDED AS AN EXCELLENT PURCHASE.

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NOTICES.

$100 REWARD.

For information leading to the conviction of the party or parties who poisoned the small Boston terrier (female) at 9 Sherman street.
J. A. ALLEN.

Newport Casino.

NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

The annual meeting of the corporation will be held at the Casino Monday, August 1, 1898, at 11:30 A. M.

WM. R. TRAVERS,
Secretary.

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Pasteur Disinfectants,
For STABLES, SINKS or CLOSETS.
Non-Poisonous, Non-Corrosive, Inexpensive.
If used properly this article is unequaled for efficiency, economy and safety. It costs less than two cents per gallon; cheap enough to use freely.

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In every case of chronic nasal catarrh the lining membranes of the nose are thickened and of a deep red color, while the superficial veins are swollen and throbbing. In nearly every case we may find patches of a grayish color, and in not a few there is actual ulceration with more or less loss of substance. The secretion is thick, tough, of a greenish character, and when the destruction is very rapid, of a fetid odor. Large collections of dried secretions may be adherent to the middle and sides of the nose. When inflammation has existed a long time and ulceration has taken place, puriform matter is secreted and drops into the throat. This is one of the most dangerous features of the complaint, as this matter often descends into the stomach, causing frequent vomiting and a general derangement of health and finally ends in catarrh of the stomach.

Nasal catarrh must be cured by local treatment, and in this, cleanliness of the nasal passage is the chief end and aim. The custom of habitually hawking and snuffing should be immediately stopped; besides being disgusting, it is unnecessary and productive of positive injury.

By the use of California Catarrh Cure perfect cleanliness of the nasal passages is secured, and the peculiar properties of the herbs used in its production not only cleanse the mucous membrane of all puriform matter, soothing and allaying all inflammation, but also effectually destroy all forms of fungus which may grow in the throat or nasal passages.

It has cured cases of almost total deafness, restored the ability to detect odors to persons who had almost forgotten what an odor was, and has cured cases that surely would have resulted in total blindness. Let no one who has suffered any of the evils of catarrh hesitate to secure a bottle of California Catarrh Cure, with full faith that he will obtain relief and cure.

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Upright Pianos
To Rent for the Season at Reduced Prices.
CALL AND EXAMINE BEFORE RENTING.
John Vars
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CARD SIGNS.
The Daily News job office has a very large assortment of wood type, specially suited for the proper printing of WINDOW SIGNS.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, July 29, 8 A. M.—For New England—Partly cloudy weather tonight; Saturday, fair; westerly winds.

BOSTON AND VICINITY.

BOSTON, July 29, 8 A. M.—For Boston and vicinity—Partly cloudy to cloudy, generally fair weather tonight and Saturday; westerly winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The area of low pressure has moved east. It is central this morning in eastern Canada, lowest barometer 29.70 inches, at Rockliffe. The depression covers large territory, embracing the Lake regions, the Middle states and the Northeast. A second depression has developed in the Southwest, central today in Kansas. The barometer is normal to high in the Southern states and the Northwest. The weather is unsettled, with much cloudiness in districts east of the Rocky mountains.

J. W. SMITH,
Local Forecast Official.

LOCAL CONDITIONS.

July 29.	8 h	12 h	14 h
Temperature.	71	80	82
Barometer.	29.82	29.81	29.85
Wind.	S	S	S
Weather.	Foggy	Fair	Hazy

MINIATURE CALENDAR.

FRIDAY, JULY 29.

Sun rises.....4 h 37 m
Sun sets.....19 h 07 m
Moon sets.....0 h 03 m
Length of day.....14 h 33 m
Day's decrease.....0 h 14 m
High water.....3 h 56 m; 16 h 11 m

SATURDAY, JULY 30.

Sun rises.....4 h 35 m
Sun sets.....19 h 06 m
Moon sets.....1 h 53 m
Length of day.....14 h 31 m
Day's decrease.....0 h 46 m
High water.....4 h 53 m; 17 h 05 m

SUNDAY, JULY 31.

Sun rises.....4 h 36 m
Sun sets.....19 h 05 m
Moon sets.....2 h 26 m
Length of day.....14 h 29 m
Day's decrease.....0 h 18 m
High water.....5 h 47 m; 18 h 53 m

MONDAY, AUGUST 1.

Sun rises.....4 h 37 m
Sun sets.....19 h 04 m
Moon rises.....— h — m
Length of day.....14 h 27 m
Day's decrease.....0 h 50 m
High water.....6 h 37 m; 18 h 54 m

Moon's Phases.

Full Moon, August 1, 23 h 29 m, E.
Last Quarter, August 9, 1 h 13 m, E.
New Moon, August 17, 5 h 34 m, E.
First Quarter, August 24, 15 h 32 m, E.

NEW TODAY.

To Let—Tenement; 4th page.
Wanted—Employment; 4th page.
Edward Otto—Liveries; 2d page.
G. Smith—Take a Look; 2d page.
Wanted—Laundry Work; 4th page.
Probate Court—Pease Estate; 3d page.
Indian Brand Shaved Beef; 7th page.
Probate Court—Alger Estate; 3d page.
G. Sherman & Co.—New Goods; 7th page.
The Bee Hive—For Tomorrow; 1st page.
Mortgagee's Sale—Vieira Estate; 8th page.
M. R. Lappin Crash Suit Sale; 8th page.
N. O. P. C. Co.—Marked Down; 1st page.
Mueller—"Don't Ruin Your Eyes;" 5th page.
Probate Court—J. S. Cottrell Estate; 3d page.
Probate Court—M. C. Cottrell Estate; 3d page.

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FOR SALE.
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FOR SALE—Story and a half cottage, on Coddington street, for $1,600.
Cottage with about 7,000 square feet land, near Broadway, for $5,200.
Two-tenement property at 8 Barney street, $3,200.
FOR RENT—The large dwelling house (new), on Central court, off Bull street, suitable for boarding-house. Rent moderate.

Solid Comfort.
Sweet Repose.
The Universal new and perfect adjustable
RECLINING or INVALID CHAIR
Best springs, removable arms, adjustable foot rest; upholstered to suit purchaser. Don't fail to see it at parlors of U. S. Hotel, or address as above.
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FOR SALE.
Number of Second-Hand Carriages
WHICH WE WILL SELL CHEAP.
Flodder Brothers, 15 Beach Street.

Mrs. V. Suret's Laundry,
Jul John street, will be open for the season on the first of June.

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—AND—
EMBALMER.
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FOR SALE—Suitable for a gentleman's residence or a Yachting Club-house, the "Stone house," on Washington street, near Fort Greene. Spacious house, 63,320 square feet on Washington street, with stable and 10,402 square feet in rear on Second street. Price, $25,000. Can arrange $20,000 of mortgage if wanted.
[This estate is where the St. John's Church Bazar is being held this week.]
Apply at Mr. Taylor's office, 124 Bellevue Ave., Newport.

BORN.

BUSHNELL—In City of Mexico, Mexico, 27th inst., a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Bushnell.

MARRIED.

LITTLEFIELD—SMITH—In this city, at the First Baptist parsonage, 28th inst., by Rev. Brewer G. Boardman, Mr. Ira H. Littlefield of Jamestown, to Miss Elizabeth Smith, of Newport.

DIED.

DENNIS—In Middletown, 27th inst., Isaac Newton, son of Isaac S. and Emma G. Dennis, aged 8 days.
BUTLER—In Fall River, 27th inst., Morris Butler, aged 50 years.
DILLAHY—In Providence, 28th inst., William F. Dillaby, in his 70th year.
CAPRON—In Worcester, Mass., 28th inst., Mary A., widow of Dr. George Capron of Providence, in the 77th year of her age.
ASHHURST—At Berlin, Germany, 28th inst., Emily, daughter of the late William H. and Elizabeth K. Ashhurst.

ROBERT C. COTTRELL, Undertaker and Embalmer, 322 & 324 Thames street. Residence, 104 Mill street. Telephone at office and residence.

$14.60 to Washington and return from Boston and proportionately low rates from other points in New England will be made by the Royal Blue Line for tickets good going July 4, 6, 6 and 7, with return limit until July 15. Limit may be extended until July 31 on payment of 50 cents. Side trips to Luray, Gettysburg, Richmond, etc., at half rates. Congress is in session, the volunteers are at Camp Alger and the National Educational Association will be in session. These are but few of the attractions of the National Capital at this time. For further information and a "Guide to Washington," address A. J. Simmons, N. E. A., 211 Washington street, Boston.

Impure Blood is an enemy to health, and may lead to serious disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla conquers this enemy and averts danger.

$1,600
Buys a Cottage, centrally located, yielding $150 per year.

FOR RENT.
Tenement North Newport avenue, $15 per month.
FOR RENT.
Lower half modern house, Pleasant street, $21 per month.
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Cottage, Warner street, all the improvements, $260.
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FOR SALE.

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A 45 H. P. horizontal tubular brick-set boiler, with cast iron front and all trimmings complete. Can be seen at Townsend Industrial School on application to Philip F. Downey, 181 Thames street.

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FOR SALE—Ten R-I-P-A-N'S for 5 cents at druggists. One gives relief.

WANTED.—Case of bad health that R-I-P-A-N'S will not benefit. Send 5 cents to Ripan's Chemical Co., New York, for 10 Samples and 1,000 Testimonials.

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Some fine light Roadsters, at Bateman's.
These are Eastern bred horses, six years old. They are well broken, kind, good style and speedy. Pedigree and further particulars will be given to interested parties by
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An Excellent Cottage Site,
Comprising about 4,000 square feet of land, in a desirable neighborhood, near Broadway. Address Box 27, Daily News Office.

FOR SALE—Fine building lot on Gibbs avenue, near Broadway and Bliss road. Apply to Wm S Brownell, Daily News Office.

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DRUG STORES,

Newport and Jamestown.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—The late Mr. Joseph L. Northam, it is reported, left no will.

—It felt hot enough today to suit even the icemen and owners of soda fountains.

—Mr. George O'McMullin of San Francisco is visiting Mr. J. Edward Addicks.

—Mr. Payne Whitney, Mr. R. C. Sands and Mr. George O'McMullin are registered at the Casino.

—Only about 100 excursionists arrived this morning on the special train from Plymouth and vicinity.

—Assistant Paymaster F. L. Averill is detached from the Minnesota and ordered to the Manhattan.

—Misses Jennie Cummings and Nellie G. Goddard of Holyoke, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thomas.

—Yesterday two more of the mines in the channel were fired, and it is hoped to get the two remaining out of the way today.

—A number of large rapid-fire guns which arrived at New York on steamer Tasso, will be distributed to various forts along the coast, including Fort Adams and Fort Greble, Dutch Island.

—Arrivals at The Aquidneck include W. G. Voight and R. W. Wilson of New York, R. J. Osborn and Miss S. E. Osborn of Philadelphia and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hartley and Miss McKee of Pittsburg.

—Today's arrivals at the Ocean House included John R. Strong and family, Cambridge; A. E. Dodge, New York; J. M. Poole and wife, Newark; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Mearia, Buenos Ayres; Mrs. W. F. Smith, Boston; Mrs. J. M. Schofield, Mrs. G. D. Thayer, Jr., Worcester.

DEATH OF DR. WILLIAM PEPPER.

A telegram received in Philadelphia today from San Francisco announces the death in the latter city, Thursday night, of Dr. William Pepper of Philadelphia, from heart disease. Dr. Pepper was for many years provost of the University of Pennsylvania and was one of the most distinguished physicians in the country. He had been a frequent visitor to Newport, having occupied a cottage here several seasons ago, and in 1891 was one of the principal guests at the annual dinner of the Harvard Club of Rhode Island. Dr. Pepper left Philadelphia recently on a special car to visit friends who have a ranch near San Francisco, and nothing was known of his illness until the receipt of the telegram announcing his sudden death.

LAW POINTS IN THE DISTRICT COURT.

The district court had a long session this morning, occupied largely in hearing law points. Fred Schroeder, arrested for selling Sparkling Kolafra without a state license, furnished the first chance, and City Solicitor Brown and Mr. Sheffield, Jr., sparred over a number of fine points raised. The defendant was adjudged guilty, and the higher court will rule on the points involved.

Then Mr. Dubois, counsel for Edward Brophy of Tiverton, came back at Mr. Sheffield, counsel for the town of Tiverton, with a demurrer on the warrant charging his client with maintaining a nuisance. Defendant was arrested in Newport by Police Constable Gillan. This Mr. Dubois claimed was illegal, but his objection was overruled in accordance with previous decisions.

Then he made the point that Brophy had pleaded nolo to an indictment for maintaining a nuisance up to April 11 and was awaiting sentence. This warrant charges him with the same offence from March 1 to July 5, thus putting him on trial a second time for any offence committed between March 1 and April 11, which Mr. Dubois claimed was illegal. Decision on this point was reserved until Tuesday. If Mr. Dubois is overruled on this the case will be tried Friday.

Mrs. O'Neill was tried for alleged assault on Mrs. Clarke, a neighbor, who had her wrist sprained. The evidence was conflicting, and the court imposed a nominal fine, $5, from which an appeal was taken. At 1 p. m. a recess was taken until 2.

TERMS FOR PEACE.

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to assent at once to the program he has outlined, in which case it will be entirely possible to return an answer to the Spanish government through M. Cambon within the course of the day.

The President has not, so far as can be learned, changed in any degree his disposition to take the American people into his confidence in dealing with this most difficult and delicate subject, and about the only restraint that is imposed upon publicity at this stage is that caused by the observance of the amenities of diplomatic exchange. Thus it will be necessary to communicate to the French ambassador the decision of the administration before the same can be made known to the American public. It is said that the government's response will be handed to M. Cambon, from which it may fairly be inferred that the ambassador is to call in person for it at the White House as soon as he is notified that the answer is ready.

The simple matter of handing this communication to the ambassador may involve quite important results. In the event of its being sent to him or handed to him, there will be nothing for the ambassador to do but to forward the communication to Madrid. If, on the other hand, he is invited to the White House to receive the communication, it opens up the possibility of a conference between the President and the ambassador which may carry forward the subject considerably beyond the point specified in the answer of the United States government. It is probable, however, that the action of the government will be restricted simply to handing the answer to the ambassador, after which, without further discussion, elaboration or explanation, it will be for Spain to make the next move. Up to today the Spanish government has given no intimation whatever as to its attitude or purposes, beyond the original proposition submitted last Tuesday, though many public men say the administration duly expects a result from its answer.

The Universal Peace Union has sent to Ambassador Cambon a letter of cordial congratulation on his presenting to the American government overtures for a cessation of hostilities. The letter expresses a sincere hope or an early restoration of peace, and that through the spirit of justice and brotherhood and conciliation the high purposes of this movement may be realized.

CONVALESCENT OR IMPROVING.

Sick and Wounded on Transport Leona Doing Well.

NEW YORK, July 29.—United States transport Leona, Captain Wilder, arrived this morning at Quarantine from Siboney, July 23, via Hampton Roads, July 28, bringing fifty convalescent soldiers and two newspaper correspondents. Of the soldiers five were wounded at the front. On arriving at Hampton Roads July 27 the steamer, owing to her having twenty-nine fever cases on board, was ordered to proceed to New York. There were no deaths during the voyage from Siboney to this port, and most of the fever cases are convalescent. The Leona brought twelve sacks of mail from the United States camp at Siboney. This mail will be disinfected at Quarantine and forwarded to the New York postoffice this afternoon.

Dr. Doty, the health officer, boarded the Leona on arrival and found all of the sick and wounded convalescent or improving. Most of the twenty-nine fever patients are suffering with the disease in a malarial form. There was no surgeon on board, and the men were attended by the ship's people and their own officers and comrades. Owing to the fact that the history of the cases showed no temperature charts or other records to guide the health officer, and the fact that these men were ordered north because the health authorities at Fortress Monroe would not allow them to land, Dr. Doty decided to remove the twenty-nine patients to Swinburne island and the convalescent and well soldiers to Hoffman island. The steamer will be thoroughly disinfected at the upper station, the effects of soldiers will be disinfected at Hoffman island, and the patients will be thoroughly examined at Swinburne island. If at the end of the twenty-four hours it is found that none show symptoms of yellow fever the Leona and all of the detained passengers will be released. Dr. Doty says from a brief examination he does not see any reason to apprehend that any of the cases are yellow fever, and that in all probability they will be released tomorrow. All the passengers were promptly transferred to the islands by steamer James Wadsworth, and the disinfection was immediately commenced, at 10 o'clock this morning.

Want the Philippines Retained.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 29.—The Merchants' Association has adopted a resolution petitioning the President to hold and retain the Philippine islands. Similar action will probably be taken within the next day or two by the Chamber of Commerce and other business organizations.

RESTRICTIONS REMOVED.

Military Censor at New York Excepts Only Messages Sent to Spain.

NEW YORK, July 29.—The following notice has today been sent to all cable companies in this city by Grant Squires, military censor of this city:

"I hereby raise all restrictions heretofore imposed by me as censor as to the character of news messages you may send abroad on and after this date, excepting only, as heretofore, all messages addressed to Spain and her colonies. It will be observed that this office is intended to cover news messages only, intended for transmission abroad, and that all other foreign cable business and all domestic business of every sort are under the same restrictions now in force."

FOUR THOUSAND PROSPECTORS.

Important New Districts on Stuart River Likely to Be Opened.

TACOMA, Wash., July 29.—Four thousand men are spreading themselves over the Stuart river country with picks and shovels, according to Edwin F. Lang of Haverhill, Mass., who has arrived from Dawson. Lang believes that next season will see opened several important new districts on the Stuart's upper waters. A town called Stuart River has been laid out by prospectors in Island No. 1 in the Yukon river, three quarters of a mile south of the Stuart's mouth and two miles south of the mouth of Henderson creek. The richest diggings yet found about Circle City was discovered July 1, by men who were trying to trace a five-foot coal vein along Coal creek, which flows into the Yukon ten miles south of Circle City.

To Establish a Hospital at Montauk Point.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—Surgeon-General Sternberg has ordered an officer of the medical corps to go to Montauk Point, Long Island, to establish a hospital there for the troops which will be sent from Santiago to the new camp in accordance with the order of Secretary Alger.

Merritt Believed to Have Reached Manila.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—It is believed at the War Department that Major General Merritt has arrived at Manila. He sailed June 29, just a month ago today. His vessels were faster than some of the others, and ought to have reached their destination by this time. If General Merritt has arrived he is in command of the Department of the Pacific, the designation now given the Philippines and the military territory in that part of the Pacific. Next in command to General Merritt is General Anderson, who was in command of the first expedition.

General Bankruptcy Law Deprives State Courts of Jurisdiction.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 29.—Judge Johnson, in the circuit court, has handed down an opinion to the effect that the new general bankruptcy law has deprived the state courts jurisdiction in bankrupt cases.

New York Engineers to Go to Porto Rico.

NEW YORK, July 29.—The First volunteer engineers expect to break camp next Wednesday. They have received word from Colonel Griffin, the commander of the regiment, who is in Washington making arrangements for the departure of his men to Porto Rico, that transport City of Chester has been assigned to take the engineers to Porto Rico. The City of Chester will come up the Hudson to the steamboat dock at Peekskill and the men will embark there.

To Search for Bodies from La Bourgogne.

HALIFAX, N. S., July 29.—The agents for the Compagnie Generale Trans-Atlantique here have chartered schooner Isaac Wade to make a cruise in search of bodies from La Bourgogne. The vessel is being loaded with rollins and sails today for Sable Island. The search will be a general one. Bodies will be brought here for burial. The company is paying all expenses in connection with the trip.

JAMESTOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

The appearance of the sun and a cool breeze from the southwest about noon today was hailed with great pleasure by the people in Jamestown, as the weather for several days past has been about as disagreeable as possible, and all outdoor amusements have been at a standstill.

The water main on Narragansett avenue, near Howland avenue, burst yesterday afternoon, and considerable water got away before it was shut off. The break was stopped, however, last night, and the water turned on.

A race of boats belonging to the Conanicut Yacht Club will take place tomorrow. This will be the first club race of the season.

Rev. H. N. Jeter, pastor of the Shiloh Baptist Church, Newport, was here today arranging for the deter children's concert to be given August 11 for the benefit of the Central Baptist Church.

The usual weekly Bay View hop occurs this evening.

Mr. Stephen Cahoone returned from New York today.

The Misses McCauley of Philadelphia are at their cottage on Racquet road.

Ex-Governor David Francis's family, of St. Louis, have arrived. The governor will join them here later, when they will occupy the Kindleberger cottage.

Colonel Alexander Rodgers has been with his family for a short time at the Davis cottage at the Dumplings.

At Hotel Thorndike: Henry Winslow, Boston; Mrs. O. L. Johnson, Jr., Norwich, Conn.; Mrs. Andrew J. Swiner, Miss Beatrice P. Swiner, Philadelphia; Miss Mary F. Gardner, Washington.

MARRIAGE OF JOHN H. DAVIS.

The New York Herald announces the marriage of Mr. John H. Davis to Miss Mary Ethel Jackson in New York several days ago. Mr. Davis's former wife was Miss Amelia Whiting, daughter of Mrs. S. S. Whiting and sister of Mrs. George L. Rives, to whom he was married in 1893 and who died in June, 1896. Mr. Davis's daughter by another wife was Miss Flora Davis, who in 1897 married Lord Terence Blackwood, second son of the Marquis of Dufferin.

The present Mrs. Davis was born in South Africa, and when she came to New York brought a letter of introduction to Mr. Davis from his daughter, Lady Terence Blackwood. She is not widely known in New York society, but had been seen frequently with Mr. Davis during the spring and early summer, and had dined at his house in Washington square. She is tall, attractive in appearance and a blonde. She is twenty-eight years old and about thirty years her husband's junior. She is Mr. Davis's fourth wife.

Mr. Davis was in Newport not long ago, and during a visit to his former wife's sister, Mrs. Rives, told her of his intended marriage.

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AN ADVENTURESS.

It is said that evil invariably works out its reward. But it is not always so, as one will readily perceive in tracing the adventures of one of the most remarkable women I have ever met.

She grew from childhood in an inland town of Virginia, under the shadow of the great Blue Ridge. There are persons in this city who remember her then as a beautiful child, wild and wayward as the wind, a laughing, black eyed creature, whom everybody loved. There was music in her voice—a charm none could resist in the spoiled, impulsive beauty, that seemed to carry perpetual sunshine with her. But the darkness of a great sorrow came upon her. She was then just 17. Her very virtues had become her enemies and deserted by those who should have been her protectors, she left her home and before a year was passed her memory was scarcely recalled by those to whom she had been a creature of love and joy and beauty.

"A friend of mine," said Mr. F., "had often seen her there—indeed, had known her well—and as we talked of many things, so we talked of her. One day Mr. I. and myself were sent for by a merchant of this city to investigate a case involving a heavy forgery. It seemed that a check of his had been presented and cashed at one of our banks for a large sum. To us he confided the fact that the criminal was a woman. He said she had asked him for a small amount, and, not having it, he had signed the check and told her to fill it up for whatever sum she required.

She had drawn it for many thousands of dollars—for all, indeed, he had on deposit—and immediately fled the country. He gave us a picture of the criminal, but was careful to inform us that he only wished to recover his property, not to punish the offender.

It was a singular face the artist had painted—a strange, weird face. Heavy masses of bronze hair shaded a broad, white forehead that seemed to shadow dark, fathomless eyes, instinct with fire and intelligence. Even the picture grew strangely attractive as you looked upon it. The beautiful mouth was sunny with the smile that nestled on the lips, while the flush that seemed to fever on the cheek had the tint of the rose. It was such a face as man would want to love and cherish or die that it might know no sorrow.

I could not believe that this strangely beautiful woman had committed such a crime, and as I sat in my office I spent hours in looking upon it. Indeed, I had begun to think of but little else, and one night my friend came in while I was looking at it.

I handed it to him with the remark:

"Is she not beautiful?"

"My God! It is Laura Ellison!"

"Who?"

"The young lady of whom you have often heard me speak."

"Not she who so suddenly disappeared?"

"Yes. But when did you get this?"

And I told him all I know of the case.

"You will never get her," he said as the picture was handed back to me.

"Why?"

"She is far too smart."

"Why, she looks as innocent as an angel."

"You will find her subtle enough."

And so the conversation ended. I adopted every possible means to find her in vain. From the moment she disappeared from the city all trace of her was lost.

After months of useless search we surrendered the case and took no more interest in it.

It was several years afterward that I met my friend on his return from Washington. There was a strange, humorous smile on his face as he asked me if I had ever heard of my dear friend, whose picture I had once taken such an interest in.

"Not a word."

"Will you use any information I may give you about her?"

"No; the case is now out of my hands."

"And you will receive in confidence what I now tell you?"

"Yes."

"Well, then, I have just left her in New York and had the pleasure a week since of attending her wedding."

"Her wedding!"

"Yes."

"With whom?"

"One of the most distinguished persons in the country."

"Impossible!"

"True. She went from here to her home, and by her family was sent to some relative in Maryland. Here she formed the acquaintance of her present husband, and, being introduced into fashionable society, has reigned the acknowledged belle in the gayest city in the Union."

"I met her in the street and was recognized by her. She communicated to me freely all her past history and asked if I had heard of her career in New Orleans. I replied in the affirmative, and told her all I know, and especially of the interest you took in her picture.

"She said that picture had come near working her ruin, for it was sent to Washington and would have procured her arrest, but that she was able to buy off the detective. I congratulated her on her success and expressed the hope that her adventures were done.

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"The Manual Training School" is the subject of Professor Henderson's third chapter, which will appear in Appletons' Popular Science Monthly for August. Its great advantages and some of its dangers, as well as its gradual adoption throughout the country as an important means of education, are pointed out.

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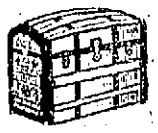

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RESPONSIBILITY HIS OWN.

General Shafter Denies That He Was Hampered by Instructions.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, July 28, 10:15 A. M. (delayed in transmission) —Major General Shafter is desirous that it be known that the United States War Department has in no way interfered with the conduct of the campaign. The general says he was never hampered by the War Department, and that if the campaign in this vicinity had failed the fault would have been all his own. The department's only participation in the operations was its ratification of the terms of surrender of the Spanish forces. General Shafter has requested that these statements be published, in view of the fact that the War Department has been criticised for faulty management.

General Shafter has received advices that two Spanish transports, one a hospital ship, have left the island of Martinique. They are expected here tomorrow. In addition, three Spanish transports left Cadiz yesterday, and four are to leave Cadiz July 30. These vessels are capable of carrying about 15,000 troops, and the embarkation will begin when all the vessels are here. It is expected that all the Spanish prisoners of war will be embarked by August 15.

The American commander has authorized the Spanish officers who commanded the troops that came to Santiago during the siege, from Manzanillo, to send for their wives and families, in order that they may be able to take them back to Spain at the government's expense. In all, there are about seventy-five women and children.

The telegraph operator at Manzanillo notified the authorities here that Captain General Blanco at first refused to permit the delivery of messages sent by these officers to their families. But later, under a protest from General Shafter, the captain-general allowed the messages to be delivered.

The American general has also authorized the Spanish officers to charter a schooner at Manzanillo for the purpose of bringing their families from there to this port, but no vessel was available and other plans are now under way. Probably a schooner will be sent from here to Manzanillo, under a flag of truce, to bring the wives and children of the Spanish officers.

NO CABLE COMMUNICATION.

Change of Base in Porto Rico Alters the Signal Service Plans.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—The change of base of operations for the Porto Rican expedition has resulted in a complete re-arrangement of plans of the signal service for that campaign. There will be no cable connections made with our army at Guanica, as would have been the case had the original landing place been taken, and the war balloons, instead of being expedited ahead, will be held at Tampa pending further developments.

The original plan as decided on by the war authorities was for a landing of the expeditionary forces at Fajardo, on the northeast corner of the island. All arrangements were made by the War Department on the basis of making Fajardo the debarkation point and numerous important details attended to which cannot be disclosed. All these have to be abandoned in view of the landing effected at Guanica, a point diagonally across the island and far away from any possible cable communication. All efforts to establish a cable service have been abandoned, as the nearest point at which a new spur could touch an existing cable is said to be San Domingo, one hundred miles or more away. Meantime the army, now somewhere between Yauco and Ponce, lacks the advantages had at Santiago of direct and immediate communication with Washington, and save by the belated despatches, which must be sent back to the nearest cable point, will be without cable facilities.

NOT AFRAID OF BOMRARDMENT.

Blanco Believes Havana is Well Nigh Impregnable.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 29.—August Grupe, one of the foremost merchants of Cuba, who has lived in Havana twenty-four years, stopped here yesterday en route to Germany on a visit. In the course of an interview Mr. Grupe said:

"When I left Havana two weeks ago the inhabitants were not in the slightest fear that the city would be bombarded; in fact, everything was going on the same as usual. The theatres, dancing halls, business of every character, were flourishing, and but for the presence of troops in the city you would never know a war was in progress.

"The blockade at Havana has thus far not proved very effective. The farms around the city furnish all the supplies necessary. The soil is so fertile that crops can be produced in thirty days. There is no scarcity of provisions in Havana, nor has there been any perceptible advance in price of food.

"There are 40,000 regular soldiers and 25,000 volunteers in the city. About 3,000 are at work night and day strengthening the Havana fortifications under the personal direction of General Blanco. A few days before I quit the city the captain-general told me Havana would be wellnigh impregnable and that talk of its fall after six months of bombardment was sheer nonsense."

SWEPT BY STORM.

Fishing Fleets Endangered, Trains Delayed and Crops Injured.

LONDON, July 29.—The northeast coast of this country has been swept by a great storm. The fishing fleets have had a narrow escape, being obliged to relinquish all their gear and nets and run to the harbors for shelter, where many other vessels were compelled to seek refuge. The north-bound trains have been delayed by the force of the winds, which have caused considerable damage inland, the crops having been flattened. There were some minor fatal wrecks in the North sea.

Collision of Steamers on the Stickeen.

VICTORIA, B. C., July 29.—News has been received of a collision between steamers Hamlin and McConnell on the Stickeen river. The Hamlin was completely wrecked and the McConnell sustained serious injury.

OF INTEREST TO COLLECTORS.

Newspaper and Periodical Stamps Unsold to Be Called In.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—An order issued today by the Postoffice Department will be of interest to all persons engaged in collecting stamps. An order was issued some time since, discontinuing the use of newspaper and periodical stamps, and postmasters were directed to retain such stamps then on hand until directions were given for their disposition. Now the Postmaster General has decided to call in all such outstanding stamps, and it is a question as to whether or not they shall be sold to collectors, and if this action is decided upon they may be sold for less than their face value.

NO GRASS AND LITTLE WATER.

Sheep on the Sierra Foothills Likely to Perish of Starvation and Thirst.

FRESNO, Cal., July 29.—The dry season has caused great loss to the stock men on the Sierra foothills. It is estimated that 175,000 sheep were driven into the forest reservations after the withdrawal of the United States cavalry some time ago. Recently a force of deputy marshals forced the stock owners to remove their cattle and sheep from the reserved land. Some of the herders assert that there is no grass and little water to be found elsewhere. At least 100,000 sheep must perish of starvation and thirst.

Entitled to One Ration a Day.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—The army regulations have been amended to provide that enlisted men, hospital matrons and female nurses shall be entitled to one ration per day, and also that a civilian employed with the army whose pay does not exceed $60 per month may receive one ration per day.

Canadian Conference to Open August 10.

OTTAWA, Ontario, July 29.—Sir Wilfred Laurier, the premier, announces that the international conference to settle the differences existing between the United States and Canada will open August 10.

Sisters of Charity Lost in the Woods.

ESCANABA, Mich., July 29.—Four Sisters of Charity of Delta County Hospital are lost in the dense woods east of Maywood, eight miles north. The Sisters went to pick berries, and up to a late hour last night a searching party had failed to locate them.

Klondikers Bringing Back Good Money.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 29.—Steamer Portland has arrived from St. Michaels bringing seven returning Klondikers and about $250,000 in gold dust and bullion. Three Dawson mine owners, Edward Lewis, George Davis and C. McCable, brought out about $200,000 in bullion, representing their joint labor in Dawson during the past season.

A Pawtucket Pension.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—Original—Hugh Muldoon, Pawtucket.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Sturdy begging is on the increase.

—Mr. Henry Clews, Jr., has returned from Europe.

—Detective Sergeant Webb of New York and wife are in town.

—Mr. John Ireys has returned from a visit to New Hampshire.

—This noon Mrs. Wetmore gave a luncheon at "Chateau sur Mer."

—Two fishermen were fined this morning for revelling on the street last night.

—Mrs. H. A. Johnson and Mrs. Pembroke Jones entertained at dinner last night.

—Mrs. C. T. Warner of Providence is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Greene.

—Miss E. R. Berrie of New York is guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Condray on Rhode Island avenue.

—Mrs. Josiah M. Fiske of New York has decided not to open her villa at Ochre Point this season.

—St. John's Mutual Beneficial Association has voted to pay the benefit due the estate of the late John Brown.

—Miss Alda Haynes of Detroit, Mich., sister of Mrs. Dickson, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dickson, at 61 Church street.

—Among the arrivals last night were Mr. Asa M. Sypher and Mr. E. S. Lawrence of New York and Mr. George W. Larkham of Providence.

—Colonel and Mrs. Philip Schuyler sailed for Europe yesterday. Mrs. Royal Phelps Carroll, daughter of Mrs. Schuyler, went to New York to bid her mother good-bye, returning last night.

—At the prayer meeting at the First Presbyterian Church this evening the subject will be "Why I Am a Presbyterian," this being the last in a series on "The Fundamentals of our Faith." The pastor will lecture.

—W. H. Wheeler, arrested for forgery, was arraigned yesterday afternoon. He pleaded not guilty, waived an examination and in default of $500 on each of the two charges, was bound over to await the action of the grand jury.

—Rev. G. A. Eckman of the Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Church has resigned his pastorate here and accepted a call to the church in West Gardiner, Mass. Rev. A. F. Lundquist of Bristol, Conn., will preach here Sunday and will remain until the church secures a permanent pastor.

—The New England Magazine for August contains for a frontispiece a portrait of the late William B. Rogers, and an article on the American Association for the Advancement of Science, of which Mr. Rogers was the first president. The article has many illustrations, a portrait of Professor Wolcott Gibbs among the number.

—It was "Youngster day" on the Shinnecock links yesterday, with Harry Hollins, Jr., of the Westbrook Club and George C. Clark, Jr., of the Shinnecock Club as stars, the former defeating Foxhall Keene, 3 up and 1 to play, and the latter defeating W. J. Travis, 3 up and 2 to play. The finals for the president's cup between Hollins and Clark will be played today.

—All the men of the Forty-seventh regiment have now been supplied with regular army uniforms, and in consequence they look very much more like regular soldiers.

—A. O'D. Taylor has rented for the remainder of the season the furnished villa known as "Willow Bank," near Brenton avenue, for Mr. John M. Hodgson, to Mrs. Adolf Ladenberg.

—Tomorrow the Meadowbrook and Myopia teams will play the final match for the Point Judith Country Club challenge cup at Narragansett Pier. Today the Point Judith and Dedham teams play for the Rhode Island cups.

—Yesterday 966 barrels of potatoes were shipped from here to Boston. The price paid was only $1.25 a barrel, yet at that figure the farmers seemed willing to sell. Today the buyers do not care to handle many potatoes, as they do not want to flood the market, and have so informed the farmers. They, however, will take all the latter care to haul.

—Mr. DeForest Danielson was in a great hurry to reach the 8:20 train for Boston this morning. On Washington square, while trying to get out of a "pocket," his horse reared and jumped upon a buggy owned and occupied by Mr. John A. Pinard. The buggy was badly damaged, but Mr. Danielson's trap escaped injury, though he was thrown out and considerably bruised.

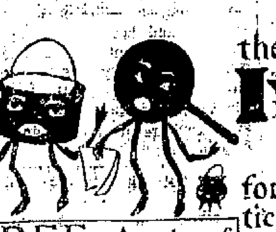
—At the Shiloh Baptist Church Sunday morning the pastor will preach a special sermon on "Slippery Ways in the Darkness;" and in the evening on "The Ever-Present God." The subject of the afternoon meeting will be "Christian Activity," and the meeting will be opened by Rev. D. P. Brown of the Mount Zion African Methodist Episcopal Church, the music to be by seven instruments.

—Mr. Buffum of the Providence, Fall River & Newport Steamboat Company says the company hopes to run the first excursion boat to Narragansett Pier Sunday, August 7. The work on the long pier there is being steadily pushed, several spile drivers being employed; but it is still far from finished, and it is a question if it will be ready by August 7. Still, boats may be able to land there.

THE WHITEHOUSE DINNER DANCE.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Fitzhugh Whitehouse gave a dinner, followed by a pretty dance, at "Eastbourne Lodge" last night. An improvised ballroom, connected with the house, was erected and beautifully decorated with flowers, plants, green branches of oak leaves, tapestries and patriotic bunting. It was the largest dinner of the season the guests including besides Prince Victor Emmanuel, the Cavalier Lecca, Major Carpeneto, Mr. and Mrs. J. Thompson Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Dyer, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Canfield, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Warren, Mr. F. W. Andrews, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Prescott Lawrence, Mr. Paul d'Hauteville, Mr. Thomas F. Cushing, Mrs. A. Ladenburg, Mr. R. L. Cutting, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Chanler, Mrs. C. M. Oelrichs, Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Brooks, Mr. Lloyd Warren, Miss Elsie French, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., Mr. Lispenard Stewart, Mrs. F. K. Pendleton and Mr. William Cutting, Jr.

After the dinner many more guests arrived to participate in the dance. The cotillion was omitted. The count opened the dance with Miss Whitehouse. A supper was served soon after midnight.



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Providence, arr.,	8 50	11 50	3 18	5 55	9 51	....
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New York,	*12 03	....	5 00	10 03	1 02	5 00
Boston,	12 01	6 45	10 03	1 02	3 15	7 00
Providence,	1 23	8 07	11 13	2 07	4 10	8 17
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General Shafter's Army Coming There to Recuperate.

Formal orders have been issued by Secretary Alger for the transfer of General Shafter's troops from the camps near Santiago to Montauk Point, Long Island. The order directs that all the troops who shared the dangers of battle and illness during and since the siege of Santiago shall be moved to the Long Island camp as soon as the commanding general is convinced they can be safely moved.

This is in accordance with the program outlined several days ago. It is intended to give the troops who won the first military victory of the war a season of rest in a healthy northern camp, free from the dangers of sickness, and put them in shape for resuming operations before Havana in the fall if it shall become necessary to land troops for a siege of the Cuban capital.

While waiting for General Shafter to indicate the time when the removal of the troops shall begin, the Washington authorities will put the new camp grounds in shape for their convenience and comfort.

Secretary Alger is deeply concerned over the welfare of the troops under Shafter. The fourth report shows a surprisingly large number of cases of sickness, but army surgeons authorize the statement that these figures are misleading in a certain sense, and that the situation may not be nearly so bad as they would seem to indicate. The slightest ailment of the most temporary nature suffices to place a soldier's name on the sick reports, which in their present shape would not distinguish between such a case and one of mortal illness. The inference is that many of these cases in Shafter's camp are of a trivial nature, but go to swell its grand total of sick and wounded.

The tract selected at Montauk is three miles square, contains an abundance of fresh water, a considerable lake, a hill 150 feet in height, and many other sanitary advantages, including salt water bathing. The necessary orders to equip this as a camping ground will go forward immediately, and every advantage will be taken of the experience gained in the formation of the great camps at Chickamauga and Camp Alger to make the conditions as comfortable as possible for the soldiers of Shafter's army.

The time for their removal is left to General Shafter, the only limitation placed upon him being that he shall not delay the homeward sailing of his troops beyond the moment when it shall be safe for them to leave Santiago, having regard to the fever conditions.

Meanwhile details are being made of troops to supply the force that shall garrison Santiago so long as it shall be found necessary to continue troops there. This force will be made up almost altogether of immunes.

WHEN A NON-MILITARY COUNTRY TRIES WAR.

When a non military people go to war they are apt to make many unpleasant discoveries. The United States has been learning this lesson. It has been the accepted belief in this country that a standing army was dangerous to the rights and liberties of a free people, a menace to popular institutions and a useless expense. It is curious the dread and prejudice which the mere mention of the word army arouses. The army is not a popular institution. Congress grudgingly votes it supplies, but takes care that they shall be kept down to the minimum. During the last quarter of a century the hardest fighting the army has had to do has been to fight for its existence. The recommendations of military chiefs have been treated with contempt.

Time and time again Secretaries of War and commanding generals have impressed upon Congress the necessity of strengthening coast defenses, of increasing the ranks, of providing better weapons, of being prepared for an emergency. Congress has answered these recommendations by a sneer at the "army dudes." The Congressman from the middle West, whose district is safe against hostile bombardment, and whose constituents have no fear of Indians, has been most violent in his opposition to the "army aristocrats." The army has been a thing to tolerate but not encourage. It is perhaps because the army is the nearest approach to "aristocracy" the American knows of—or, rather, to put it more correctly, it seems to him like an aristocratic class that he antagonizes the professional soldier.

In the popular mind an army officer is one of Fortune's favorites. He is educated at the government's expense; he has nothing to do except to wear a pretty uniform, bully his men and draw a comfortable salary; and when he gets too old to be of any use to himself or anyone else a generous country comes to his relief and pensions him for the rest of his natural days. He is of the "aristocracy," in contradistinction to the all pervading democracy; he is of a caste by himself. The fact that the average officer spends the best years of his manhood on the alkali plains, that at a time when most men are earning good incomes he is still a captain drawing $300 or $400 a year, while his work is hard and incessant, is forgotten. In this country the army is the last profession a bright lad should select.—[A. Maurice Low, in the National Review.

MR. AND MRS. HUMPHREY WARD AT HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey Ward keep very hospitable house near the village of Aldbury, an hour's railway ride from London. This delightful and sequestered spot has been her country home for the last five years, and has furnished her with scenery and not a few incidents for the novels written during that period. Mrs. Ward's social tastes are not for the fashionable world; culture is the predominant note in her home. Reserved and somewhat constrained in manner when in public, she displays a quiet wit to her intimates, and is a pleasant and bright conversationalist. There is nothing of the blue stocking or of the recluse about Mrs. Ward; she is a woman upon whom learning sits naturally and gracefully. In appearance she is tall and distinguished looking, with dark, wavy hair simply arranged, brown eyes and full, red lips. She has a very sweet smile, and a clear and melodious voice. Despite the fact that she has been identified with the Woman's Movement, and University Hall, which grew out of "Robert Elsmere," there is something offensive to her aesthetic soul in the drudgery of platform work, and the agent who could persuade her to undertake a trans-Atlantic tour is certainly not born.—[The Bookman.

MIDNIGHT SUPPERS.

A contemporary paragrapher makes the "serious complaint" that there are very few places in New York "where you can take a lady for supper at midnight without rubbing elbows with boisterous women who are not recognized in good society." That seems an amusing charge, easily met by the suggestion that the need for taking a lady out to supper at midnight must occur so rarely that the maintenance of even a few respectable late-hour restaurants should be sufficient to meet it. New York has been declared to be the easiest place in the world to get food in at night, being in that particular in strong contrast to London. A man who expects to find not only an elaborate supper for a lady after midnight, but improving society as well, seems extortionate in his expectations.—[Harper's Weekly.

A MASTERPIECE.

During the career of the first Napoleon there lived in the little Dutch town of Brent a young man named Hans Freefurt, a painter, of very moderate attainments in his chosen profession. In all else he was capable, himself a pleasant person, popular with his townsfolk and neighbors.

But he was far from happy, for he craved above all else the reputation of a great artist. It was not for money at all that he wished celebrity. It was the honor and fame that he desired. In short, the young man was ambitious beyond all words.

Hans had tried industriously to paint good pictures. The room was filled literally to overflowing with these daubs. Their number was the result of a peculiar train of thought on the part of the painter. He had said to himself:

"My pictures are bad, undoubtedly very bad, but—and I piously thank heaven for this—there is not the shadow of a pretense about them. At the first glance they carry the conviction of their complete inferiority. There is no attempt to cloak faults of drawing or of color. No one can say that my pictures are not honestly bad ones. Now, I suppose no man is all bad. I have, then, a capacity for only a limited number of these wretched creations, let me say 500, to be thoroughly on the safe side. I will paint 500 pictures, and I warrant the five hundred and first will be a masterpiece."

He was still working at the 500 and his skill was improving, the necessary consequence of hard, honest work, but Hans was discouraged and began to doubt his hypothesis. He was a long way from that five hundred and first picture, and he could not help dreading lest, after this weeding of himself for the five hundredth time, the next picture, when finished, might prove not to be a masterpiece, might never reach the Louvre.

Masterpiece! Louvre! As quick as a flash he saw a plan for satisfying at one grand coup his ambition and patriotism as well. An hour later he laid this plan before his friend Quentin.

The great emperor was then in the midst of those prodigious thefts which have more than all else endeared him to the really thoughtful and earnest sort of Frenchmen. His victorious armies from all over southern Europe were constantly returning laden with the most precious works of art.

In Greece, take what he might, he could hardly go wrong, and therefore could trust to his own judgment, but in Italy and the southern countries there is good reason to believe that his choice was guided chiefly by the actions of the guardians of the various art depositories, and that he selected, at all times, the paintings or the marbles which appeared to be the subjects of greatest solicitation to their owners.

Now Hans' plan for the attaining of his ambition was this: Napoleon was at the time absent on some little expedition in the north. On his return, as he passed through Brent, which lay in his direct line to the capital, the great man must be made to steal one of Hans' pictures, and with some show of violence, if possible, that the affair might have the greater publicity.

The theft accomplished, his fame as an artist was established. He would be accounted a genius at once, and the time would have come for him to exchange his privacy for publicity and to increase his correspondence, as all wise geniuses do, in preparation for death.

The emperor entered the city on April 4. He was not overpopular with the Dutch, so there was no demonstration as he passed through the town, nor did he seem to expect it. The day was hot, and he pushed steadily onward, evidently anxious to reach Paris.

Suddenly his attention was attracted by a piercing cry overhead. Looking upward hastily he saw, leaning out of a window, a wild looking man, bristling with artist's accoutrements, who gazed fearfully for a moment at the cavalcade beneath and then shot back from the window as if attached to an elastic cord.

The emperor halted. His instinct told him he was on the trail of high art, and in a moment the few doubts he had were put to flight by his catching a glimpse of the same young man and another equally ruffianly looking person struggling over the roofs of some neighboring houses, carrying between them what was evidently a large canvas.

Soldiers and an officer were at once ordered in pursuit. A house was broken into, some little damage done and much disturbance of the neighborhood occasioned, and after an indifferent race, the two young men and their canvas were overtaken and brought before the emperor, who then for the first time confronted Hans' eighty-fifth daub.

It staggered even Napoleon, and Hans afterward acknowledged that he verily believed that if it had not been for the protestations of the townspeople, his and Quentin's plans would have gone for naught. These two had thrown themselves on their knees and begged the emperor in suppliant terms to return this painting, the work of years, intended for the cathedral of St. Ananias.

And all the people round about—and by this time the little street was completely blocked—implored his majesty to spare this precious work, speaking out of pure good will toward Hans, who, as I have said, was a great favorite, and whom they saw to be in distress at the thought of his loss.

The emperor was reassured. There could be no longer any doubt as to the picture's superiority. Besides, the artist had about him all the elements of genius. He had a wonderful head of hair, ran but poorly, was lax in his gaiters, laxer in his gait.

In short, the circumstantial evidence was overwhelming, and, as Thoreau has said, sometimes circumstantial evidence is convincing, as when one finds a trout in the milk jug. Napoleon was convinced. Five soldiers were ordered to convey the painting to Paris with great care. Soon after it was added to the Louvre collection, where it has since remained.—Philistine.

EXCLUDING MOISTURE FROM THE CELLAR.

"There certainly can be no exhalations from dry ground, such as my house will stand on," the lady said.

"That is the universal error," was the reply. "If you will have a flower-pot filled with soil from any part of the site, either at the surface or several feet below, you will find that you can pour quite a large amount of water into it at the side before the top will be wetted. All the space occupied by water was previously filled with air, and this ground air is liable to many contaminations and constant changes of level, and it will enter your cellar through a stone wall—for the most compact stones have air-passages; and Colonel Waring, a high authority on every phase of drainage, says that concrete floors and granite walls are as a sponge to the penetration, under slight pressure, of atmospheric currents."

This part of house construction the lady had not thought about, but she put "put her mind to it," making a thorough study of the question, and finally decided to take measures to exclude every form of effluvium from the sub-story of her house, for the architect convinced her that in an occupied house there are always warm currents going up, drawing part of the air to supply their place from the cellar. He clinched his argument by telling her that if she would open a bottle of ether or boil a few onions in the cellar, and then go to the attic, she would have to hurry or the pungent odor would get there before her. She found that to make her cellar as impervious to air currents as a china bowl she would have to spend more money on it than she had originally intended, but she cheerfully sacrificed some carved mantels that she had dreamed of in the cause of a perfectly sanitary house.

There are several ways of excluding the moisture from a house. In the country, if one lives where a clean, smooth dry, and compact clay can be had, Colonel Waring, who has made this whole subject a study for the last thirty years, says: "Such a clay, which may be beaten into a close mass, and which has a sufficient affinity for moisture to maintain its retentive condition, seems to constitute a good barrier to the passage of impure air. Six inches of clay well rammed while wet will impede the movement of air to a degree with which ordinary cellar concrete can furnish no parallel. It can be covered with concrete for cleanliness and good appearance. Where clay is not available a good smearing of asphalt over the outside of the cellar wall will afford a complete though more costly protection, and a layer of asphalt between two thicknesses of concrete for the cellar bottom will afford complete protection for it." In the cities now every house built for a judicious owner to live in has its coating of asphalt outside the foundation wall, and an asphalt cellar bottom, sometimes with and sometimes without concrete covering.—[Mrs. H. M. Plunkett, in Harper's Bazar.

Dr. Collier's second article on the "Evolution of Colonies," which will appear in Appletons' Popular Science Monthly for August, takes up the question of emigration. He shows that emigration is at first exclusively, and to the last predominantly, masculine in all its aspects, and it is primarily conducted by the heroic strand of humanity, the manlier races and their most vigorous sections.

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FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, July 29, Wall Street—The stock market opened strong, with Sugar at 137½, Tobacco at 121, People's Gas at 100, Burlington at 106, St. Paul at 99½, Rock Island at 96⅛, Northwestern at 130, Manhattan at 107⅛, Missouri Pacific at 35½ and New Jersey Central at 93¾.

10—The corn-carrying grangers showed sharp recoveries from yesterday's depression and the general list responded in sympathy. Sugar jumped a point and some of the other specialties were quite strong. Trading was quite active.

11—Brooklyn Transit, New York Air Brake and Rubber rose from 1 to 2½ per cent, and gave strength to the general market. Free offerings of Sugar and People's Gas depressed them over a point and checked the general advance. Towards 11 o'clock prices moved upwards again.

Noon—Money on call, nominally at 1½ @ 2 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3½ @ 4 per cent; sterling exchange, easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 8 7½ @ $4.85 for demand, and at $4.82½ @ ⅞ for sixty days; posted rates, $4.84½ @ $4.85, and $4.86 @ 4.87; commercial bills, $4.82½; silver certificates, 58⅞ @ 59½; bar silver, 58¾; Mexican dollars, 45¾; government bonds, strong. Heavy buying of the leading specialties carried them up decidedly and imparted a degree of strength to the general market. Manhattan was bought on the favorable tax decision after early weakness on realizing, and Brooklyn Transit and Sugar were also strong. Changes in railways were unimportant. Sales of stocks to noon were 129,750 shares. The bond market was without special feature, but showed a steady undertone.

NEW YORK, JULY 29.

	Noon.
Atchison	13⅞
Canada Southern	53
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	106
C., C., C. & St. Louis	41
Delaware & Hudson	106
Delaware, Lackawanna & Western	150
Erie	13⅞
Illinois Central	109
Lake Shore	190
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IN WHOSE INTEREST?

Hearing on the Proposed Electric Lighting Contract.

Claim That the City Does Not Secure the Advantages It Ought.

The committee on streets and highways gave a public hearing in the council chamber at the City Hall last evening on the proposed contract between the city and the Newport Illuminating Company. There is very little interest in the proposition either way, if one may judge by the attendance at the meeting. Besides representatives of the illuminating company and three of the five members of the committee and its clerk, there were present two members of the City Council, the chief engineer of the fire department, two citizens and a representative of only one of the two daily newspapers in the city.

The hearing proceeded as if there were a "full house." Alderman McMahon, chairman of the highway committee, presided and stated that the proposed contract was the outcome of the request of the City Council that the committee devise some means for reducing the number of poles about the city. The committee had come to the conclusion that the only way to remedy the difficulty was to put the wires under ground. Representatives of the illuminating company had met the committee and had presented a plan set forth in the agreement which had been presented to the City Council, referred again to the committee and is now under consideration. The chairman then read the proposed agreement, the main features of which were printed in the News when it was first presented. The reading occupied nearly twenty-five minutes, and when it was concluded the chairman called upon the representatives of the illuminating company for remarks.

Mr. Magner said that the company had tried to meet the request of the committee that something be done to reduce the number of poles. The company had considered the matter thoroughly, and when the large cost of putting the wires under ground was considered it was thought that it would be fair to the company to grant it an exclusive franchise.

Mr. Angus McLeod said that the agreement was fair to both sides. The company does not wish to do anything injurious to the city or the citizens, and the agreement affords a safeguard to both parties.

Councilman Stevens said he was present to learn something that would aid him in reaching a decision, so that he could act conscientiously on the question when it came before him in the City Council. He thought there were some things in the agreement that ought to be considered by the committee on street lights.

Dr. H. W. Gillett, who had come in after the reading of the proposed agreement, asked in which streets it was proposed to remove the overhead wires, and in reply the chairman read again that portion of the agreement in which it was stated that the company would put its wires under ground within one year on Levin street, Ledge road, Victoria avenue, Ruggles avenue, Ochre Point avenue, Lawrence avenue, Gordon street, LeRoy avenue, Berkeley avenue and Warner street from Bay View avenue to Malbone road, and within two years in Parker avenue.

Mr. George P. Lawton said he did not see that the people in the central part of the city were to be benefitted in any way by the proposed change. He is specially interested in Touro street, where there are at least thirty wires running on poles which block the sidewalks. The contract with the telephone company had not given the relief he had expected, and he hoped that the city would not make another agreement where the people did not get some benefit.

Dr. Gillett said he was surprised to learn that only so few wires were to be put under ground. The agreement seems to cover only a few connecting streets and furnishes no relief to the central part of the city. It seems a little startling that a proposition is presented which gives an exclusive franchise and only gives relief from overhead wires in unimportant parts of the city.

Mr. A. C. Titus said it would be very hard on the illuminating company for the city to force it, just after it got on its feet, to spend an amount of money on underground conduits that would consume all its earnings for the ten years of its desired franchise. To bury all its wires would take all the company's earnings for ten years. No city of the size of Newport requires the electric light company to put its wires under ground. The proposition is a very generous one on the part of the company. To pay one per cent of its gross earnings is a great concession. There is no occasion for an agitation at this time. The wires and poles are in excellent condition and are not a source of danger to any one. The company is not charging exorbitant rates, and has been dealing fairly and liberally with the city.

Chief Engineer Kirwin said he wanted to see the trunk lines put under ground; the distributing lines are of much less importance. Touro street should be taken into consideration. It is crowded with wires and poles which are a detriment to the city. West Broadway, with its mass of wires, is a bugbear, and other main lines should be put under ground. The double poles about the city should be replaced by swinging arms for the lanterns. The telephone company put its trunk lines under ground and this was a great benefit, although the wires which were removed along the wharves are not missed so much because they were not in a public highway.

Dr. Gillett said that because no other city of this size has its wires under ground is no reason why Newport should not. We want Newport to be in advance of other cities. It is not desired to embarrass the company by so doing. The proposed agreement is undoubtedly of benefit to the company, and if a change is made it should be of real benefit to the city and not confined to a few side streets.

Mr. Titus said he would like to see Newport lead off, but no city of the size of this has a business that will warrant the expenditure.

Mr. McLeod said it was the intention of the illuminating company to have all the wires put under ground as soon as the franchise and the earnings will warrant so doing.

The chairman said the company agrees to put its wires under ground in any new street.

Councilman Stevens said that, so far as he had learned at the hearing, the proposition was one of the illuminating company and not of the city. He had not yet been given any reason for voting for it. The burying of the wires suggested in the proposition is only the small sprat to catch the large whale.

Mr. Magner, in reply to a question of Dr. Gillett, said that the cost of maintaining an underground system of wires would be less than for an overhead system where the wires are numerous in the trunk lines, but that in the distributing points at long distances and in outlying sections the original cost would be so great that the benefits to be derived from the change would not counterbalance the cost.

Here the hearing closed, the chairman stating that the committee would consider the questions involved and report to the City Council.

LAST NIGHT'S AND TOMORROW AFTERNOON'S CONCERTS.

The concert by the Newport band on Washington square last evening was listened to by a fair-sized crowd, in spite of the unpleasant weather and the heavy fog, which dropped from the trees almost like rain. Tomorrow afternoon the band will give another of its matinee concerts in Morton park, especially for the children, and Bandmaster Apelles has arranged the following program for the occasion, the concert beginning at 3 o'clock and lasting nearly two hours:

March, "Alderman Shanteler," — Apelles
Overture, "Mallereux" (Cubappy), — Suppe
Valse, "Le Mouchoir" (The Handkerchief), — Waldteufel
Selection, songs to date.
Souvenir, "Morceau de Salon," — Volstedt
March, "Stars and Stripes Forever," — Sousa
March of the Grand Choirs, from "Faust."
Popular twostep, "Happy Days in Dixie."
Southern plantation song, "Way Down in Dixie." — Leuther
Finale, march, "Klondike," — Apelles
"America," the children being requested to join in singing.

THIRTIES COULDN'T FIND THE MARK IN THE FOG.

For a second time the race for the Ellis cup by the 30-footers was postponed yesterday, as the weather would not allow a desirable course to be selected. There was a good southerly breeze, but there was also an over-abundance of fog. It was, however, decided to sail a sweepstake race, the course to be three times to the Jamestown mark and back.

The start was made at 3.01, the Hera leading. It was a run to Jamestown and a beat home, the Carolina leading in the first round and the Hera in the second. On the third time to Jamestown the fog settled down so thick that none of the boats could find the mark off Jamestown and in consequence the race was declared off. The Vaquero III was the first boat home.

The race for the Ellis cup will probably be sailed this afternoon.

A NAVAL RESERVE VOLUNTEER WEDDED.

The first wedding of one of Newport's volunteers for the war took place yesterday. It was a Naval Reserve wedding, the groom and the best man, who was also the bride's brother, both having joined the navy from the Newport Reserves. The principals were Charles L. Ehrhardt, first class machinist on the Constellation, and Miss Florence Agnes, eldest daughter of Mrs. W. H. Dewick. The ceremony took place at St. Joseph's rectory, Rev. L. J. Deady officiating. The best man was Harry J. Dewick, of the coast signal service, and the bridesmaid Miss Emma Ehrhardt, sister of the groom. Only a few immediate relatives of the young couple were present. The bride wore a gown of white organdie, trimmed with white satin ribbons, and carried a bouquet of bridal roses. The bridesmaid wore pink organdie and carried pink roses.

Following the service at the rectory there was a brief reception at the home of the bride's mother on Van Zandt avenue, where a very large number of the young friends of the new couple called to offer their congratulations. Many accompanied the bridal party to the Fall River line dock, to give them an appropriate send-off on their wedding tour, which owing to the rules of the Navy Department will be necessarily limited to the leave of absence of the groom.

A large number of appropriate presents were sent the bride, among them a dinner set from the Naval Reserves and an easy chair from Engine Company No. 2, of which the groom is a member.

THE SCOW WAS DUMPED TODAY.

This morning, for the first time since last Saturday afternoon, the swill scow was towed outside and its load dumped. The scow was well washed off, and when it returned looked as clean as it was possible to make it; yet the stench about the slip was apparently as strong as it was yesterday, and that is saying much. The neighbors are complaining, and with cause, that the health of their children is threatened, and Street Commissioner Hamilton has called the attention of the health officials to the state of affairs which has existed with their permission since the involuntary dumping of the scow last Monday.

SUBURBAN ELECTRIC LINES.

Island Road Likely to Introduce a Freight Service.

The island railway is now running in better time than at first, and it has more cars ready for service. Additional turnouts have been provided and these, allowing a change in the time table, seem to give the public much better service than heretofore: in consequence it is possible to go to Fall River and return the same day with a margin of time for doing business in both cities. Up to the present time it has been difficult to get any information about this line, except that relating to long-drawn-out trips made by unlucky passengers. There is promised, however, to the newspaper reporters and others one junket trip on a very fine special car which the road is to have. Then probably a good deal of information about the road will be given to the public. One of the things promised is a small freight car for carrying small parcels along the line. It takes time to get all matters of detail of a new road settled down to a business basis, but on the recent excursion of newspaper men to Tiverton the road was found to be running very smoothly, and close connections were made at all turnouts.

The Block Island railway, though a very small one, being but about a mile and a half long, went into operation without any outside booming. The rolling plant comprises but three cars, and these will this season be drawn by horses, as the electric plant is not yet begun. It is expected to have that ready to furnish power and light by next year.

The first car on the electric road between Saunderstown and Narragansett Pier was run yesterday, and cars are now run on schedule time. On the first train was ex-Governor William Sprague, Senator Congdon of South Kingstown, Representative Briggs of Narragansett, prominent citizens of the Pier and the Wakefield band.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—The condition of Mr. W. H. Stratford is favorable.

—The Misses Gilbert gave their first dinner of the season Wednesday night.

—Mrs. John S. Sherman of Campello, Mass., is visiting Mrs. Emma L. Gilpin.

—Miss H. Palmer Coolidge of Providence is at The Aquidneck for the season.

—Mr. Anson Phelps Pond and family of Hartford are at their cottage on Harrison avenue.

—Mrs. M. H. Williams of Pawtucket has arrived at Cottage No. 2, Renfrew Park for the season.

—Rev. C. Banning, while moving about his house on Broadway yesterday, fell heavily, sustaining a severe fracture of the left hip.

—Mrs. L. A. J. Morgan, a returned missionary from Africa, will give a free lecture this evening, at the Union Congregational Church.

—Arrivals at the Kay Street House include Clark Shove and wife of Fall River and Mrs. G. O. Gorton and Miss L. E. Carter of Providence.

—At the morning service at the First Methodist Episcopal Church Sunday the pastor, Rev. J. H. Allen, will preach on "The Lord's Fan and Satan's Sieve."

—Steamer City of Fall River arrived today, to have two new smokestacks put on, and to complete the painting which was interrupted when she took the Brockton's place some weeks since. She will probably go out again Monday.

—J. W. Smith of Toronto, E. M. Kimberly of New Haven, H. L. Nickerson of Providence, W. H. Brown of Fall River, G. E. Carll of Pittsburg, W. E. Sewell of New Bedford and G. C. Stewart and Dr. and Mrs. Henry Wallace of New York are at the Perry House.

—The worst hailstorm in the history of Chicago, with stones as large as hens' eggs, is reported in that city yesterday. The glass in many private residences, business blocks and public buildings was completely wrecked, and the residence of Mr. Potter Palmer is reported to have been one of those that suffered seriously.

—Michael McGovern and his sons, Frank and John, are here from New York.

—One of P. H. Horgan's heavy express wagons participated in a short runaway on Long wharf this morning. The traffic on Thames street was very heavy at the time, and a smashup was looked for; but Mr. F. W. Greene succeeded in catching the runaway before Thames street was reached.

THANKS FOR THE CARBONATOR.

The following letter, sent to the Rhode Island Sanitary and Relief Association, explains itself:

U. S. Ambulance Ship Solace,
Navy Yard, New York, July 23, 1898.

Mrs. A. Livingston Mason, Halidon Hall, Newport, R. I.:

My dear Mrs. Mason: I am directed by the surgeon-general of the navy to notify you that the carbonator has been installed on board this ship and is now in working condition. There were brought with it two large tanks containing acid and a number of sacks of mineral material from which the carbonated water is manufactured.

I take this occasion to thank you and the society of which you are the president for the exceeding generosity which you have displayed towards this vessel in supplying such useful things for the comfort of the sick and wounded. I am

Very truly yours,
THOMAS H. STREETS,
Surgeon, U. S. N.

AUCTION SALES.

Mortgagee's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage made by Manuel Vieria and Anna Alix Vieria his wife to Ellen T. Baker, wife of A. Prescott Baker, dated December 1, 1895, and recorded in Volume 27, pages 88 and 89, of the Mortgages Land Evidence of the city of Newport, in Rhode Island, breach of the condition of said Mortgage having been made and still existing; the said Mortgagee will sell at public auction, on Narragansett Avenue, in front of the land hereinafter described, on **Saturday the 20th day of August A. D. 1898**, at twelve o'clock, noon, that lot of land with dwelling house and other improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereof, in said city of Newport, bounded, Northerly on Narragansett avenue, 50 feet, Westerly on land of Thomas Lyons 118 61-100 feet, Southerly on land of Michael J. Murphy and Mary E. Murphy 50 feet, and Easterly on land of Arthur Carey 118 36-100 feet, and containing 5,925 square feet; said lot of real estate being all granted by said Mortgage deed, which deed is hereby made part hereof. Said Mortgagee hereby gives notice that she intends to bid for said property at said sale.

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